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NEW HAMPSHIRE

For the year ending December 31, 1960

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For the year ending June 30, 1960

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CHARLESTOWN, N. H.

FOR THE

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Bring Your Town Report to Town Meeting,
Tuesday, March 14, 1961

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TOWN OFFICERS, 1960

Cecil Fisk	Moderator
William S. Fairbanks	Town Clerk
William Miller	Treasurer
Alice E. Adams, term expires 1961	Selectman
Walter H. Palmer, term expires 1962	Selectman
J. Frank Frohock, term expires 1963	Selectman
Oscar F. Adams	Overseer of Poor
John W. Morris	Road Agent
Walter G. Smith, Jr.	Tax Collector
Henry J. Farrell	Auditor
Margaret H. Spaulding	Auditor
Louis L. Comstock	Auditor
Ralph A. Willoughby	Chief of Police
Walter W. Kidder	Health Officer
Harold L. Blodgett, term expires 1961	Water Commissioner
Richard H. Perry, term expires 1962	Water Commissioner
Earl P. Putnam, term expires 1963	Water Commissioner
M. Loraine Child	Supervisor
Lora L. Spooner	Supervisor
Edna A. Farrell	Supervisor
Horace N. Bascom, Chairman, term expires 1961	School Board
Dana E. Olden, term expires 1961	School Board
James Austin, appointed, term expires 1961	School Board
Earl French, resigned, term expires 1962	School Board
Forest A. Buckland, term expires 1962	School Board
Vera D. Willard, term expires 1963	School Board
Cecil Fisk, term expires 1963	School Board
Noyes C. Stickney	Supt. of Schools
Martha Frizzell	School Moderator
Beatrice Olden	School Treasurer
Arline W. Warren	School Clerk
Lovell E. Comstock, term expires 1961	Trustee Trust Funds
Gladys L. Galbraith, term expires 1962	Trustee Trust Funds
Fred H. Perry, term expires 1963	Trustee Trust Funds
Isabel T. Palmer, term expires 1961	Library Trustee
Archibald H. Sayce, term expires 1961	Library Trustee
Martha MacD. Frizzell, term expires 1962	Library Trustee
E. Peckham Barber, term expires 1962	Library Trustee
Eleanor C. Brown, term expires 1963	Library Trustee
Christian A. Rist, term expires 1963	Library Trustee
Richard H. Perry, term expires 1963	Justice Municipal Court
Robert W. Burns	Chief Fire Department

1960

TOWN WARRANT

State of New Hampshire

To the inhabitants of the Town of Charlestown, in the County of Sullivan, in said State, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Charlestown on Tuesday, the tenth day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following subjects:

Art. 1. To chose the necessary officers for their respective terms.

Tabulation of Voting

Total ballots cast 439. Republican 227; Democrat 66.; Split 144; Blanks 2.

Town Clerk — William S. Fairbanks	426
Selectman 3 Years — J. Frank Frohock (Elected)	269
Carl Fedelski	131
Treasurer — William Miller	412
Tax Collector — Walter G. Smith, Jr.	416
Overseer of Poor — Oscar F. Adams	421
Chief Engineer — Robert W. Burns	384
Water Commissioner, 3 years — Earl W. Putnam	398
Auditors — Louis L. Comstock	332
Henry J. Farrell	399
Margaret H. Spaulding	414
Library Trustee 3 Years — Eleanor C. Brown	407
Christian A. Rist	393
Trustee Trust Funds, 3 years — Fred H. Perry	402

Art. 2. To consider the budget. To raise such sums of money as may be deemed necessary for the maintenance of the poor, laying out and repairing highways, building and repairing bridges, street lighting and for the necessary charges arising within the town.

Resolved, to accept the budget with the following amendments. (1) That the budget item opposite Town Officers Salaries will read $4100.00 instead of $4000.00 for the purpose of raising the Tax Collectors salary from $600.00 to $1000.00. (2) To strike out the $5000.00 for new equipment.

BUDGET

Purposes of Expenditures	Approp. Previous Year 1959	Actual Exp'tures Previous Year 1959	Estimated Exp'tures Ensuing Year 1960
Current Maintenance Expenses:			
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	$ 3,700.00	$ 3,605.00	$ 4,000.00
Town Officers' Expenses	2,200.00	2,458.42	2,500.00
Election and registration expenses	250.00	223.50	900.00
Municipal court expenses	350.00	300.00	350.00
Exp. town hall & other town bldgs.	2,700.00	3,157.19	2,700.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
School Police	600.00	384.00	600.00
Police Department	3,100.00	2,775.26	3,100.00
Fire Department	4,300.00	5,536.30	4,000.00
Moth exterm., blister rust and care of trees	3,000.00	2,943.22	2,000.00
Health:			
Health Department	125.00	133.12	125.00
Vital Statistics	125.00	70.00	100.00
Visiting Nurse Assn.	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Town dump	700.00	831.30	800.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town maintenance, summer and winter	30,200.00	34,475.66	30,000.00
Street lighting	3,100.00	3,075.36	3,100.00
General exp. of Highway Dept.	4,500.00	4,467.32	4,500.00
Town Road Aid	976.96	976.96	977.14
Libraries	1,700.00	2,300.00	1,700.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	3,500.00	3,248.17	3,500.00
Old Age Assistance	5,000.00	4,773.06	5,000.00
Patriotic Purposes			
Memorial Day & Veterans' Assns.	100.00	100.00	100.00
Recreation:			
Parks and Playground	1,000.00	1,018.28	1,000.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Cemeteries	1,200.00	3,108.87	1,000.00
Town Clock	125.00	105.25	125.00
Unclassified:			
Damages and Legal Expenses	300.00	170.20	300.00
Adv. and Regional Associations	50.00	50.00	50.00
Employees' Social Security	1,100.00	1,038.44	1,200.00
Interest:			
On Temporary Loans	950.00	1,126.74	1,150.00
On Long Term Notes & Bonds	50.00	45.00	80.00

Highways and Bridges:			
Surface Drain	2,000.00	2,157.04	
New Equipment	4,660.00	4,582.25	5,000.00
Payment on Principal of Debt:			
Long Term Notes	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
County Taxes	17,798.29	17,798.29	18,798.00
School Taxes	143,210.35	135,988.24	155,958.89
Total Expenditures	$246,670.60	$247,022.44	$258,714.03

Finance Committee

Donald Galbraith	Term expires 1961
Walter O'Hearne	Term expires 1961
Ralph Weeks	Term expires 1961
Robert Spaulding	Term expires 1962
Robert L. Stevenson	Term expires 1962
Theodore J. Frizzell	Term expires 1962
Morris Putnam	Term expires 1963
David Bechok	Term expires 1963
Cecil Fisk	Term expires 1963
Theodore J. Frizzell	Chairman

Art. 3. To see if the town will vote to allow the selectmen to deliver the inventory blanks at the time of taking inventory.

Resolved, to adopt the article.

Art. 4. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to borrow on notes on the credit of the town such sums of money as may be necessary to meet current expenses in anticipation of taxes.

Resolved, to adopt the article.

Art. 5. To see what action the town will take in respect to appointing three members of the Finance Committee for the ensuing three years.

Resolved, to elect the following three members to the Finance Committee; Morris Putnam, Cecil E. Fisk, David Bechok. Also to elect Robert Spaulding to replace Dwight Smith.

Art. 6. To see if the town will vote to accept trust funds received for perpetual care of lots in the cemeteries.

Resolved, to accept the article as scheduled, indefinitely.

Art. 7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1000.00 in addition to the amount raised in the budget for the care of trees. (By request)

Resolved, to adopt the article.

Art. 8. To see if the town will vote to extend the sewer from the corner of East and Sullivan Streets, to service Crown Point Heights Development, and raise the necessary amount to cover the cost. (By petition)

Resolved, to adopt the following amendment: "That the Water Commissioners, Town Development Committee and the Selectmen be appointed to survey the town sewer and water supply on long range plans."

Art. 9. To see if the town will vote to accept and maintain a Traffic Safety Light, the light to be paid for and installed by the Charlestown Business and Professional Women's Club. The proposed site is at the corner of school and Main Streets. (By request)

Resolved, to dismiss the article. Defeated by a vote of 60 - 28.

Art. 10. To see if the town will vote to install a Blinker Traffic Light in the vicinity of the Post Office and the Keil Lock Company. (By request)

Resolved, to adopt the article by a vote of 55 - 43. Voted to raise $600.00 for installing and maintaining a flashing yellow light.

Art. 11. To see if the town will vote to have the moderator appoint a committee of three to work with the State Forester in carrying approved forestry practices on town owned property. (Requested by Finance Committee)

Resolved, to adopt the article. Committee appointed by Moderator: Horace Bascom, Chairman; Alfred C. Smith; Morris Putnam.

Art. 12. To see if the town will vote to request the Selectmen to consult the wishes of the town and hold public hearings before undertaking any large scale cutting of trees on any of the land publicly held by the town. (By petition)

Resolved, to adopt the article.

Art. 13. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Trustees of the Silsby Free Public Library to accept an addition to the library as a gift.

Resolved, to adopt the article.

Art. 14. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Resolved, that the town request the selectmen to take measures to relieve the traffic congestion in the center of the village, particularly in the vicinity of the post office and the library.

Elected to the Town Development Committee, Robert Hayes — David Bechok.

Town Development Committee

Verne Bradish, Chairman	Term expires 1961
Cecil Fisk	Term expires 1961
Rolfe Jacobs	Term expires 1962
Harold Blodgett	Term expires 1962
Robert Hayes	Term expires 1963
David Bechok	Term expires 1963

Highway Advisory Committee

William Ahern	Term expires 1961
Carl Fedelski	Term expires 1962
James Adams	Term expires 1963
Frank Little, Chairman	Term expires 1963
Kenneth Whitney	Term expires 1964

Business meeting adjourned at 12:30 p. m.

Polls were open for voting from 9:00 A. M. to 6:00 P. M.

Ballots counted and Town Meeting officially adjourned at 10:35 P. M.

A true copy, attest

WILLIAM S. FAIRBANKS
Town Clerk

TOWN WARRANT 1961

The State of New Hampshire

To the inhabitants of the Town of Charlestown, in the County of Sullivan, in said State, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Charlestown on Tuesday, the fourteenth day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose the necessary town officers for their respective terms.

Art. 2. To consider the budget. To raise such sums of money as may be deemed necessary for the maintenance of the poor, laying out and repairing highways, building and repairing bridges, street lighting and for the necessary charges arising within the town.

Art. 3. To see if the Town will vote to allow the Selectmen to deliver the inventory blanks at the time of taking inventory.

Art. 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow on notes on the credit of the town such sums of money as may be necessary to meet current expenses in anticipation of taxes.

Art. 5. To see what action the Town will take in respect to appointing three members of the finance committee for the ensuing three years.

Art. 6. To see if the town will vote to purchase a new fire truck, and raise and appropriate $22,200.00 to purchase same.

Art. 7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,500.00 to remodel the Stack room in the library. By request of Library Trustees.

Art. 8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 to purchase oxygen for the resuscitator.

Art. 9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1000.00, in addition to the amount raised in the budget for Care of Trees, for continuance of the Dormant Spray used the past two years for the control of Dutch Elm disease. By request.

Art. 10. To see if the town will vote to borrow $4000.00 for the purpose of installing two hydrants; one at Riverview Park, the other on Wheeler Avenue, said amount to be paid by the Water Department as follows: $2000.00 plus interest in 1962 and $2000.00 plus interest in 1963. By request of Water Commissioners.

Art. 11. To see if the Town will vote to pay the employees of the highway department the following:

1. Time and one half after a 40-hour week.
2. Seven paid holidays; New Years Day, Memorial Day, Fourth of July, Labor Day, Veterans Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day.
3. Group insurance for entire family of worker to be paid for by the Town of Charlestown. By petition.

Art. 12. To see if the town will appoint a commission on recreation to plan and develop all public community recreational facilities; said commission to operate only with such funds as are allocated in the budget. By request.

Art. 13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to file in behalf of the Town an application (in form and manner required by the United States and in conformity with Public Law 560, 83rd Congress) and do whatever else may be required to obtain an advance, made by the United States to the Town of Charlestown, New Hampshire, to defray the cost of an engineering investigation, report and preliminary plans for an overall program for sewage treatment.

Art. 14. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 to purchase and install street signs.

Art. 15. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

The polls will be open from 9:00 A. M. to 6:00 P. M.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-seventh day of February, in the year of our Lord 1961.

ALICE E. ADAMS
WALTER H. PALMER
Selectmen of Charlestown

A true copy of warrant-attest
ALICE E. ADAMS
WALTER H. PALMER
Selectmen of Charlestown

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF CHARLESTOWN, N. H.

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year
January 1, 1961 to December 31, 1961

Compared with

Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures
of the Previous Year January 1, 1960 to December 31, 1960

	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1960	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1960	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1961
Sources of Revenue			
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	$ 2,000.00	$ 2,722.59	$ 2,300.00
Railroad Tax	2,230.82	2,230.82	2,000.00
Savings Bank Tax	400.00	11.30	50.00
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal	80.00	88.21	80.00
Forest Lands:			
For Fighting Forest Fires		112.58	
for Fighting Forest Fires		112.58	
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance		92.73	
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses	700.00	716.00	700.00
Business Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees	50.00	15.00	15.00
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court	400.00	674.12	500.00
Rent of Town Hall & Other Buildings	350.00	439.00	350.00
Interest Re'd on Taxes & Deposits	1,200.00	1,607.17	1,400.00
Income of Departments:			
Highway, incl. rental of equipment	3,000.00	4,086.24	3,500.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	10,500.00	12,671.60	11,500.00
From local taxes other than property taxes:			
Poll Taxes — Regular @ $2	2,000.00	2,022.00	2,000.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	166.00	166.00	166.00
Yield Taxes	1,000.00	3,841.25	1,500.00
Total Revenue From All Sources Except Property Taxes	$ 24,076.82	$ 31,496.61	$ 26,061.00
Amt. to be raised by property Taxes			$249,188.42
			$275,249.42

Purposes of Expenditures	Approps. Previous Year 1960	Actual Previous Exp'tures Year 1960	Estimated Exp'tures Ensuing Year 1961
Current Maintenance Expenses:			
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	$ 4,100.00	$ 4,138.50	$ 4,200.00
Town Officers' Expenses	2,500.00	2,289.87	2,500.00
Election and Registration Expenses	900.00	830.40	250.00
Municipal Court Expenses	350.00	481.00	400.00
Exp. Town Hall & Other Town Bldgs.	2,700.00	3,097.92	3,100.00
Employees' Ret't. & Social Security	1,200.00	1,363.44	1,400.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	3,100.00	2,671.01	2,700.00
Fire Department	4,000.00	4,216.98	4,000.00
Moth Exterm., — Blister Rust & Care of Trees	3,000.00	2,894.97	1,500.00
Blinker Light	600.00	295.82	
School Police		100.50	600.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	300.00	75.00	300.00
Health:			
Health Department, Including Hospitals	125.00	59.24	125.00
Vital Statistics	100.00	75.25	100.00
Visiting Nurse Assn.	1,000.00	1,000.00	500.00
Town Dump	800.00	739.50	800.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Maintenance — Summer	30,000.00	17,881.12	33,000.00
Town Maintenance — Winter		19,235.60	
Street Lighting	3,100.00	3,102.19	3,200.00
General Exp. of Highway Dept.	4,500.00	4,562.51	4,500.00
Town Road Aid	977.14	977.14	972.56
Libraries	1,700.00	1,700.00	1,700.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	3,500.00	2,721.61	3,700.00
Old Age Assistance	5,000.00	4,847.23	5,000.00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day & Veterans' Assns.	100.00	100.00	100.00
Recreation:			
Pool	1,000.00	1,133.84	1,000.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Cemeteries	1,000.00	3,720.23	2,000.00
Town Clock	125.00	88.95	125.00
Advertising and Regional Associations	50.00	50.00	50.00

Interest:			
On Temporary Loans	1,150.00	910.94	1,000.00
On Long Term Notes & Bonds	80.00	110.34	30.00
Highways and bridges:			
New Equipment			6,000.00
Payment on Principal of Debt:			
Long Term Notes	3,000.00	3,000.00	1,000.00
County Taxes	17,761.91	17,761.91	18,500.00
School Taxes	156,912.23	149,210.35	170,896.86
Total Expenditures	$254,731.28	$255,443.36	$275,249.42

Assessed valuation previous year	$3,164,125.00
Estimated assessed valuation for 1961	3,164,125.00
Amount required by budget	249,188.42
Tax rate ensuing year per $100.00 valuation	7.88

Every appropriation of $1,000.00 in addition to this budget will raise the tax rate $.032 per $100.00 valuation.

Theodore J. Frizzell, Chairman
Ralph K. Weeks
Cecil Fisk
Donald Galbraith
Morris Putnam
Dana E. Olden for
Charlestown School Board

Robert L. Stevenson
Robert C. Spaulding
David Bechok, absent
Walter O'Hearne, absent
Alice E. Adams
Walter H. Palmer
J. Frank Frohock, absent

INVENTORY 1960

Land and buildings (exclusive of growing wood and timber)	$2,183,060.00
Electric plants 6	536,730.00
Horses 18	1,010.00
Cows 631	57,390.00
Other neat stock 88	4,905.00
Sheep and goats 80	800.00
Fowls 8700	4,275.00
Portable mills 2	1,000.00
Road Machinery 3	1,000.00
Gasoline pumps and tanks 23	5,950.00
Stock in Trade	85,850.00
Mills and machinery	158,600.00
Toll bridges 1	250,000.00
House trailers used as dwellings 23	25,150.00
Hogs 2	30.00
Boats and launches 11	1,375.00
Total gross valuation before exemptions allowed	$3,317,125.00
Less Soldiers' exemptions	153,000.00
Net valuation on which tax rate is computed	$3,164,125.00

Tax Rate $7.30

APPROPRIATED FOR 1960

The town voted at the annual meeting March 8, 1960 to raise the following sums:

Town Officers' salaries	$ 4,100.00
Town Officers' expenses	2,500.00
Social Security and Retirement	1,200.00
Election and registration	900.00
Municipal Court	350.00
Town Hall and buildings maintainance	2,700.00
Police Department	3,100.00
Fire Department	4,000.00
Blister Rust and care of trees	3,000.00
Health Department	125.00

Town Dump	800.00
Vital Statistics	100.00
Visiting Nurse Association	1,000.00
Town Road Aid	977.14
Town Highway Maintenance	30,000.00
General expenses of Highway Department	4,500.00
Street lighting	3,100.00
New equipment (Blinker Light)	600.00
Libraries	1,700.00
Old Age Assistance	5,000.00
Town Poor	3,500.00
Memorial Day	100.00
Swimming Pool	1,000.00
Cemeteries	1,000.00
Town Clock	125.00
Damages and legal expenses incl. dog damage	300.00
Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region	50.00
Payments on principal of debt and interest	4,230.00
County Tax	17,761.91
School Tax	156,912.23
	$254,731.28
Less poll taxes estimated revenue and credits	25,588.71
	$229,142.57
Selectmen added (overlay)	1,838.56
Property taxes committed to collector	$230,981.13

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1960

Title of Appropriation	Appropriation	Receipts & Reimbursements	Total Amount Available	Expenditures	Unexpended balance	Overdraft
Town Officers' salaries	$ 4,100.00		$ 4,100.00	$ 4,138.50		$ 38.50
Town Officers' expenses	2,500.00		2,500	2,289.87	$ 210.13	
Election and Registration	900.00		900.00	830.40	69.60	
Municipal Court	350.00		350.00	481.00		131.00
Town Hall Bldg. Maintenance	2,700.00	$ 439.00	3,139.00	3,097.92	41.08	
Police Department	3,100.00		3,100.00	2,671.01	428.99	
Fire Department	4,000.00	112.58	4,112.58	4,216.98		104.40
Blister Rust and Care of Trees	3,000.00	504.78	3,504.78	2,894.97	609.81	
Health Department	125.00		125.00	59.24	65.76	
Town Dump	800.00		800.00	739.50	60.50	
Vital Statistics	100.00		100.00	75.25	24.75	
Town Road Aid	977.14		977.14	977.14		
Town Highway Department	30,000.00	4,086.24	34,086.24	37,116.72		3,030.48
General expenses of highway	4,500.00		4,500.00	4,562.51		62.51
Street lighting	3,100.00		3,100.00	3,102.19		2.19

Libraries	1,700.00		1,700.00	1,700.00		
Old Age Assistance	5,000.00		5,000.00	4,847.23	152.77	
Town Poor	3,500.00		3,500.00	2,721.61	778.39	
Memorial Day	100.00		100.00	100.00		
Swimming Pool	1,000.00	595.06	1,595.06	1,133.84	461.22	
Cemeteries	1,000.00	2,924.85	3,924.85	3,720.23	204.62	
Town Clock	125.00		125.00	88.95	36.05	
Damages and legal exp., dog damage	300.00		300.00	75.00	225.00	
Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Region Assn.	50.00		50.00	50.00		
Payments on debt (principal)	3,000.00		3,000.00	3,000.00		
Interest	1,230.00		1,230.00	1,021.28	208.72	
County tax	17,761.91		17,761.91	17,761.91		
Social Security	1,200.00		1,200.00	1,363.44		163.44
Visiting Nurse Assn.	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,000.00		
Blinker Light (Main St.)	600.00		600.00	295.82	304.18	
	$ 97,819.05	$ 8,662.51	$106,481.56	$106,132.51	$ 3,881.57	$ 3,532.52
Net unexpended balance of appropriations						349.05
						$ 3,881.57

STATEMENT OF BONDED DEBT
TOWN OF CHARLESTOWN, N. H.

December 31, 1960

Showing Annual Maturities of Outstanding Bonds and Long Term Notes

Date	Grader Note @ 3% First National Bank Springfield, Vt. authorized to borrow $2,000.00	Total
1961	$1,000.00	$1,000.00

FINANCIAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OF

CHARLESTOWN

— IN —

SULLIVAN COUNTY

For Fiscal Year Ending

DECEMBER 31, 1960

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

February 21, 1961

ALICE E. ADAMS
WALTER H. PALMER
Selectmen

WILLIAM MILLER
Treasurer

ASSETS

Cash	
Highway account balance	$ 492.44
In hands of treasurer	80,792.87
Sewer Commission	2,501.86
Treas. Water Commission	1,338.50
Accounts Due to the Town	
Bounties	24.50
Railroad Tax (estimated 1960)	2,000.00
Other bills due Town	
Sewer Commission	31.33
Town Hall	26.00
Highway Dept. Service	429.06
Water rents, $7,669.98. Sewer rents, $437.00.	8,106.98
Fire calls	578.85
Unredeemed taxes: (from tax sale on account of)	
Levy of 1959	4,936.35
Levy of 1958	1,279.05
Previous years	2,047.83
Uncollected taxes:	
Levy of 1960	41,888.11
Levy of 1959	98.03
Total Assets	$146,571.76
Surplus, December 31, 1959	30,003.98
Surplus, December 31, 1960	34,383.88
Increase of Surplus	4,379.90

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:	
Cemeteries	$ 204.62
Swimming Pool $461.22. Care of Trees $609.81	1,071.03
Due to School Districts: Balance of Appropriation 1960 - 1961	109,912.23
Long Term Notes Outstanding:	
Grader	1,000.00
Total Liabilities	$112,187.88
Excess of assets over liabilities (surplus)	34,383.88
Grand Total	$146,571.76

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue		
From Local Taxes: (Collected and remitted to Treasurer)		
Property Taxes, current year, 1960	191,459.40	
Poll taxes, current year, 1960	1,596.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes, 1960	166.00	
Yield Taxes, 1960	2,428.71	
Total Current Year's Taxes collected and remitted		195,650.11
Property Taxes and Yield Taxes, Previous Years		37,427.37
Poll Taxes, Previous Years		426.00
Interest received on Taxes		1,607.17
Tax sales redeemed		5,012.18
From State:		
Interest and dividends tax	2,722.59	
Railroad Tax	2,230.82	
Savings Bank Tax and Building and Loan Association Tax	11.30	
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands	88.21	
Head Tax a/c	400.05	
Fighting forest fires	112.58	
Reimbursement a/c Motor Vehicle Road Toll	874.93	
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance	92.73	
Bounties	7.50	
From Local Sources, Except Taxes:		
Dog Licenses	716.00	
Business licenses, permits & filing fees	15.00	
Fines and forfeits, municipal court	674.12	
Rent of town property	618.00	
Income from trust funds Trustees of Trust Funds	1,250.00	
Income from departments	3,242.29	
Registration of motor vehicles, 1960 permits	12,671.60	

Receipts Other than Current Revenue:		
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	75,000.00	
From		
Sale of Town Histories	106.17	
Pistol Permits	5.50	
Water Dept.	354.36	
Sewer Dept.	269.19	
Sale of elm wood	316.96	
Francis Hinkle - wood	40.00	
School District - postage on Town Reports	30.38	
Refunds	42.40	
Davis & Simonds, sale of timber	639.39	
Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue		76,804.35
Total Receipts from All Sources		342,654.90
Cash on hand January 1, 1960		77,782.86
Grand Total		$420,437.76

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:	
General Government:	
Town officer's salaries	4,138.50
Town officer's expenses	2,289.87
Election and registration expenses	830.40
Municipal court expenses	481.00
Expenses town hall & other town bldgs.	3,097.92
Protection of Persons and Property:	
Police department	2,671.01
School Police	100.50
Fire department, including forest fires	4,216.98
Moth extermination — Blister Rust and Care of Trees	2,894.97
Dog account	188.80
Visiting Nurse Assn.	1,000.00
Perambulating T. L. - Surveying	43.00
Bounties	24.50

Health:		
Health department, including hospitals	59.24	
Vital statistics	75.25	
Town dumps	739.50	
Highways and Bridges:		
Town Road Aid	977.14	
Town Maintenance, Summer $17,881.12, Winter 19,235.60	37,116.72	
Street Lighting	3,102.19	
General Exp. of Highway Dept.	4,562.51	
Libraries	1,700.00	
Public Welfare:		
Old age assistance	4,847.23	
Town poor	2,721.61	
Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day & Veteran's Associations	100.00	
Care of flag	6.98	
Recreation:		
Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts	1,133.84	
Public Service Enterprises:		
Municipal water & sewer departments	210.25	
Cemeteries, including hearse hire	3,720.23	
Town Clock	88.95	
Unclassified:		
Damages and legal expenses	75.00	
Auto Permits	790.00	
Advertising and Regional Associations	50.00	
Taxes bought by town	6,296.56	
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	691.33	
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	1,591.72	
Total Current Maintenance Expenses		$ 92,633.70
Interest:		
Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	910.94	
Paid on long term notes	110.34	
Total Interest Payments		$ 1,021.28

Outlay for New Construction, Equipment and Permanent Improvements:		
Surface Drains - Riverview Park and Cummings Ave.	450.37	
Blinker light	295.82	
Total Outlay Payments		$ 746.19
Indebtedness:		
Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	75,000.00	
Payments on long term notes	3,000.00	
Total Indebtedness Payments		$ 78,000.00
Payments to other Governmental Divisions:		
Payment to State a/c Yield Tax Debt Retirement	271.46	
Taxes paid to County	17,761.91	
Payments to School Districts, 1959 Tax $102,210.35, 1960 Tax $47,000.00	149,210.35	
Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions		$167,243.72
Total Payments for all Purposes		$339,644.89
Cash on hand December 31, 1960		80,792.87
Grand Total		$420,437.76

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Description	Value
Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	$ 30,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	2,000.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	10,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	4,000.00
Police Department, Lands and Buildings	
Equipment	200.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	4,000.00
Equipment	20,000.00

Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	2,000.00
Equipment	20,000.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	5,000.00
Water Supply, if owned by Town	85,000.00
Sewers & Drains	28,000.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings	250,000.00
Equipment	15,000.00
G. L. Richardson, lot	1,000.00
Charles Kinson place	1,000.00
Farwell Ball & White, wood lot	500.00
Town Dump	1,200.00
Nelson Benware place	2,000.00
Nelson Pecor place	500.00
Total	$481,400.00

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

State of New Hampshire

T. R. A. refund	$ 1,048.80	
Gas tax refund	874.93	
Bounties	7.50	
Railroad tax	2,230.82	
Old age recovery	92.73	
Interest and dividend tax	2,722.59	
Savings bank tax	11.30	
Reimbursement head tax	38.25	
Reimbursement state forest lands tax	88.21	
		$ 7,115.13

Highway Department

Tarring driveways	$ 139.72	
Use of equipment	1,423.60	
Loam and gravel	315.05	
		$ 1,878.37

Forest Fires

State of New Hampshire	$ 31.58	
Frederick Adams	12.00	
Hugh A. Simonds	16.50	
Boston & Maine Railroad	52.50	
		$ 112.58

Refunds

Gay's Express	$ 2.70	
Alice E. Adams	46.13	
Sylvia Sylvester	38.80	
Harley W. Prentiss	3.45	
State of New Hampshire, blister rust	.80	
Cold River Hot Mix	1.09	
Old No. 4 Fire & Hose Co., gas refund	45.75	
		$ 138.72

William S. Fairbanks, Town Clerk

Auto permits	$ 12,671.60	
Filing fees	15.00	
Dog licenses	716.00	
		$ 13,402.60

Tax Collector, Walter G. Smith, Jr.

Poll and property taxes,	1960	$193,269.37	
	1959	37,960.39	
	1958	26.00	
	1955	13.64	
Yield taxes,	1957	173.87	
	1959	1,238.67	
	1960	2,428.71	
			$235,110.65

Taxes Redeemed

Wallace and Phyllis Atwood, 1958	$ 120.00
Harvey Putnam, 1955	35.00
Chester Hughes, 1958	50.00
Stanley Merrill, 1958	82.59
Stanley Merrill, 1957	36.79
Chester Hughes, 1958	25.00
Reginald Walton, 1958	98.59
Walter Eshelman, 1958	299.18
Robert and Margaret Davis, 1958	115.72
Robert and Margaret Davis, 1957	121.30
Robert and Margaret Davis, 1956	137.67
Paul Jos. Tuttle, 1956	180.95

Chester Hughes, 1958	21.49	
Madeline Baldwin, 1956	28.40	
Madeline Baldwin, 1957	237.55	
Haskell Benware, 1957	121.27	
Arthur Benware, 1956	335.75	
Hugh Colburn, 1956	142.99	
Hugh Colburn, 1957	121.77	
Ernest Fenderson, 1957	17.69	
Ernest Fenderson, 1958	71.08	
James Fennessey, 1956	64.23	
James Fennessey, 1957	82.46	
James Fennessey, 1958	64.09	
Ellen Towsley, 1954	115.42	
Ellen Towsley, 1956	107.33	
Ellen Towsley, 1957	68.06	
Haskell Benware, 1958	113.85	
Emery Hall, 1953	5.54	
Emery Hall, 1954	24.46	
Anastasia Streeter, 1957	63.74	
Carl Brown, 1957	159.14	
Fay Austin, (Reynolds), 1959	16.83	
Fay Austin, (Reynolds), 1958	16.99	
Clifford Reynolds, (Austin), 1957	17.09	
Clifford Reynolds, (Austin), 1956	18.79	
Clifford Reynolds, (Austin), 1955	18.94	
Lawrence Nelson, 1959	192.01	
Ernest and Margaret Fenderson, 1959	21.50	
Wilford and Elizabeth Colburn, 1959	114.00	
Chester Hughes, 1959	25.00	
Reginald Walton, 1958	7.87	
Emery Hall, 1954	10.70	
Emery Hall, 1955	4.30	
Alfred Goodell, 1959	220.67	
Charles Ring 1958	306.56	
Charles Ring, 1959	150.00	
Chester Hughes, 1959	25.00	
Wilford and Elizabeth Colburn, 1959	2.60	
Arthur and Eva Benware, 1959	286.93	
Arthur and Eva Benware, 1958	287.30	
		$ 5,012.18

Municipal Court

Richard H. Perry, Justice		$ 674.12

Water and Sewer Department

Water Dept., Insurance, gas, etc.	$ 354.36	
Sewer Dept., Insurance, gas, etc.	269.19	
		$ 623.55

Temporary Loans

First National Bank, Springfield, Vt.	$ 75,000.00

Miscellaneous

George E. Moore, pulp wood	$ 156.46	
School District, postage on reports	30.38	
George E. Moore, pulp wood	160.50	
Francis Hinkle, wood	40.00	
Montford Sayce, dog account	2.80	
Town Treasurer, head tax account	361.80	
Alice E. Adams, town hall account	439.00	
Alice E. Adams, town history account	106.17	
Pistol permits	5.50	
Cemetery lots	17.00	
H. H. Ward, care cemetery lots	199.00	
Perpetual care cemeteries	1,250.00	
Davis & Symonds Lumber Co., lumber cemeteries	639.39	
Rent town property	179.00	
		$ 3,587.00
Total receipts, 1960		$342,654.90
Cash on hand, January 1, 1960		77,782.86
		$420,437.76
Paid out, 1960		$339,644.89
Cash on hand, January 1, 1961		$ 80,792.87

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries

Alice E. Adams, selectman	$ 625.00	
Walter H. Palmer, selectman	625.00	
J. Frank Frohock, selectman	625.00	
Walter G. Smith, Jr., tax collector	1,000.00	
William S. Fairbanks, town clerk	200.00	
William Miller, treasurer	200.00	
Oscar F. Adams, overseer of poor	150.00	
Gladys A. Galbraith, secretary	150.00	
Trustee of Trust Funds		
Robert W. Burns, fire chief	100.00	
Walter W. Kidder, health officer	75.00	
Henry J. Farrell, auditor	126.00	
Margaret H. Spaulding, auditor	130.50	
Louis L. Comstock, auditor	132.00	
		$ 4,138.50

Town Officers' Expenses

Alice E. Adams, clerical work, mileage tax meeting, copying tax book, meals		383.85	
Walter H. Palmer, mileage, meals tax meeting		86.20	
J. Frank Frohock, mileage, tax meetings		89.00	
William S. Fairbanks, drawing jurors, express charges, postage, phone		104.58	
Gertrude Cahalane, stamps, box rent		108.35	
Town Officers dues in State Associations		9.00	
Town Officers Bonds		287.60	
Recording transfers and mortgages		134.39	
N. H. Tax Commission, Mobile Home Book		2.00	
Walter G. Smith, Jr., tax collector, Expenses to			
Tax Coll. Meeting	$ 55.40		
Expenses & supplies	130.74		
		186.14	
Comstock, the Printer			
Town Reports	493.50		
Printing	89.25		
		582.75	

Kimball's Inc., supplies and cabinets	82.50	
Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc., supplies	9.76	
Wheeler & Clark, books, dog tags	47.55	
Kendall's Pharmacy, stamp pad	.59	
Halladay, the Florist, funeral piece	8.28	
Robert Hayes, work on checkwriter	5.00	
Recording & Statistical Corp., book	4.00	
Francis Southworth, Treas., Com. Code Book	5.18	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	153.15	
		2,289.87

Election and Registration

Cecil E. Fisk, moderator	52.50	
William S. Fairbanks, town clerk	45.00	
Arthur M. Lane, ballot clerk	45.00	
Edwin A. Morrill, ballot clerk	45.00	
Arthur C. Moore, ballot clerk	45.00	
Louis L. Comstock, ballot clerk	40.00	
David Conant, ballot clerk	6.00	
Alice E. Adams, election officer	45.00	
Walter H. Palmer, election officer	35.00	
J. Frank Frohock, election officer	45.00	
M. Loraine Child, supervisor	100.00	
Edna A. Farrell, supervisor	90.00	
Lora L. Spooner, supervisor	90.00	
Comstock, the Printer, checklists and printing	145.00	
Claremont Eagle, display	1.90	
	$	830.40

Highway Department - Summer Account

John W. Morris, Road Agent	$ 2,314.35
Labor	8,910.55
Charlestown Garage	4.25
R. C. Hazelton Co.	567.28
Cray Oil Co.	1,320.44
Willoughby's Garage	279.76
Northeastern Culvert Co.	595.62

Granite State Electric Co.		72.94	
Auto Electric Service Co.		233.76	
Sanel Industrial Inc.		660.24	
Howard's Store, kerosene		1.10	
Oxygen & Welding Supply Co.		18.41	
R. N. Johnson Chloride	$ 390.70		
parts	79.10		
		469.80	
Cold River Hot Mix Corp.		59.25	
Paul St. Pierre, loading gravel		27.00	
Hedges & Mattheis Co., springs		1.30	
Adams & Adams Agency, insurance		369.85	
Merrimack Store, nails, staples		8.45	
Montgomery Ward, tires		137.00	
Orin's Shell Station, labor		1.00	
Industrial Equipment Co., oil		51.15	
Mingolla Machinery Co., parts		277.45	
Red's Esso Station, kerosene, belts		9.13	
Edward King, barb wire		5.00	
J. Frank Frohock, cedar posts		10.80	
Sargent Motors Inc., parts		404.01	
Richard H. Perry, insurance		13.24	
Charlestown School District		5.00	
Thomas E. Hannifin, plank		184.80	
Jacobs Machine Works, welding, labor		8.05	
Ed's Equipment Service, bushings		2.00	
Claremont Auto Body Co., windshield		95.00	
Rick's Electrical Shop, supplies		3.65	
A. R. Hodgkins & Sons, shovel hire		190.95	
Cliff's Saw Repair Shop, mower		94.70	
Earl Putnam,			
plumbing work at Town Barn		25.65	
David G. Adams, posts		42.00	
Furgat Tractor & Equipment Co., parts		35.79	
Rowco Mfg. Co., parts		8.40	
George Blaker, gravel		86.00	
Harold Fisk, gravel		276.00	
			$ 17,881.12

Highway Department - Winter Account

John W. Morris, road agent	$ 2,284.75
Labor	9,279.75
Northeastern Culvert Co.	172.52
Charlestown Garage	9.70
Plowing and Sanding	120.00
Cray Oil Co.	1,306.46
Granite State Electric Co.	49.78
Willoughby's Garage	138.55
R. C. Hazelton Co.	244.31
Trimount Bituminous Products Co.	657.99
Oxygen & Welding Supply Co.	446.24
Hardy Merrill, parts	7.38
Cheever Tire Service, tire repair	4.50
Rick's Electric Shop, labor and material	41.23
Furgat Tractor & Equipment Co., loader & supplies	994.64
Montgomery Ward, tires, furnace, anti-freeze	952.60
Auto Electric Service Co., parts	334.95
Sanel Auto Parts Inc., parts	69.50
Sanel Industrial Inc., oil chains, parts	224.98
Sargent Motors Inc., parts	209.62
Red's Esso Station, parts, grease gun, belt	115.96
R. L. Jacobs Machine Works	85.60
Richard H. Perry, insurance	237.36
Comstock, the Printer, printing	3.00
General Auto Sales Inc., labor and material	19.00
Orin's Shell Station, wiper blades, anti-freeze	7.30
Gay's Express	2.70
Shattuck's Garage, parts	6.38
Gardner's Welding, material	23.83
Johnson Motor Parts, Inc., parts	17.96
Kibby Equipment Co.	15.92
O. W. Stevens, labor	11.10
Delta Steel Co., Inc.	70.58
Emery Morse, shoveling snow	3.00

Jordan Milton Machinery Co., parts	7.75	
Reed Bros. Equipment Co., tube	3.65	
R. N. Johnson, tire	26.45	
Thomas Hannifin, plank	105.60	
Merrimack Store, barb wire, roofing	13.58	
Harley Prentiss, gas	3.45	
Carman Porter, shovel work	85.00	
Town of Walpole, truck and man hire	147.39	
Jameson's Market, supplies	1.56	
Charlestown Water Dept., pipe and back hoe work	31.05	
Herbert E. Streeter, labor at Town Barn	47.18	
N. H. Explosive & Machine Co., pump kit	109.63	
Bruce Merrill, gas	3.45	
Holmes System Clearings, exp. charges	2.97	
Harold Fisk, gravel	57.00	
Vacations	420.75	
		$ 19,235.60
Total cost of highway, winter and summer accounts		$ 37,116.72
Credits:		
Sale of loam and gravel	$ 315.05	
Tarring drives	139.72	
Use of equipment and labor	1,423.60	
Gas tax refund	874.93	
T. R. A. Refund	1,048.80	
Gas sold to fire, sewer & water departments	230.77	
Truck insurance refund	46.13	
Refunds	7.24	
		$ 4,086.24
Net cost of Highways		$ 33,030.48

Surface Treatment

Trimount Bituminous Products Co.	$ 4,562.51

Charlestown Highway Department - 1960

Materials used in maintaining Charlestown roads;

4568 cys. gravel
1445 cys. sand
300 cys. cold patch
40 tons salt
10 tons chloride
70 guard posts
6 culverts

Four miles of brush were cut.

Three culverts were lenghtened.

Bridges were re-planked at:

North Charlestown
Farwell road
Burrough road
Putnam road
Rex Smith road
Meany road

Sections and/or all of the following were gravelled:

Bailey place to top of Bailey Hill
Meany road
Burrough road
Putnam's Flat
Lawrence hill at South Charlestown

Sections and/or all of the following were tarred:

Lover's Lane road
Hemlock road to Chas. Willard place
Ahern road to boat landing
Riverview Park road
Road by George Blake residence
Acworth road
North Hemlock road
Bissonette corner by G. Morse to Unity road
James Adams road
Ben Eaton road

The following streets were tarred

Paris Ave.
East St.
West St.
School St.
Taylor Hill
Paris Ave.
Bridge St.
Depot St.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. MORRIS,
Road Agent

T. R. A.

Treasurer, State of New Hampshire for, town's share $ 977.14

Town road aid for work on Class 5 roads, which are school bus and mail routes. The Town appropriated $977.14 and the State contributed $6,514.27. The work is under the Supervision of a State Highway Engineer from the Keene office. Mr. Kenneth Whitney was the State timekeeper on this job, and his report shows the following:

Cut 1 mile brush.
Cut 27 trees 12" or more in diameter.
7078 cys. gravel used.
8/10 mile Farmer's Mix
8/10 mile seal coat
170 ft. 12" culvert installed
74 ft. 15" culvert installed
106 ft. 24" culvert installed

Payloader Report

The town voted that the Selectmen keep a separate account of repairs and parts for the payloader, and publish same in the Town Report.

The present payloader was bought in April 1957. During this year it was necessary to repair wheel assemblies as major items of repair, and the parts for these repairs cost a total of $759.62. The majority of repair work is done by a member of the highway department.

Expenses of Town Hall

Arthur Laforge, janitor	$ 915.00	
Granite State Electric Co.	145.34	
Connelly Fuels Inc.	975.84	
Jameson's Market, supplies	34.94	
Bemis Woodworking, labor	12.70	
Richard H. Perry, insurance	394.53	
Carl C. Brown, stair and chair repairs	102.30	
Rick's Electric Shop, supplies and labor	16.84	
Zabek Fire Apparatus, batteries	28.00	
Adams & Adams Agency, liability insurance	436.18	
N. H. Fire & Safety Equipment Co., batteries	36.25	
		$ 3,097.92
Credits:		
Fire Department, heating	150.00	
Rent of Town Hall	439.00	
		589.00
Net cost of Town Hall		$ 2,508.92

Town Hall Report

Due from rent of hall for 1960		$ 391.00
Due from 1959 report		74.00
		$ 465.00
Paid Town Treasurer	$ 439.00	
Due from Mrs. James Allen	10.00	
Due from Teen Agers group	16.00	
		$ 465.00

Police Department

Ralph Willoughby, chief, salary	$ 1,456.00
Ralph Willoughby, telephone & expenses	134.35
Louis Rokes, police duty	551.00
Louis Rokes, expenses	300.10
Walter O'Hearne, police duty	8.40
Russell Blodgett, police duty	8.40

David Conant, police duty	8.40	
Walter Piletz, police duty	8.40	
Rolla H. Smith, police duty	8.40	
Raymond Sherman, police duty	8.40	
Ezra Howard, police duty	8.40	
Elroy Rock, police duty	36.40	
Elroy Rock, expenses	17.50	
Harold H. Ward, Sr., police duty	11.88	
Harold H. Ward, Sr., expenses	6.00	
Adams & Adams Agency, insurance	67.90	
Eastern States Police Radio League, dues	5.00	
Jameson's Market, supplies	14.78	
Comstock, the Printer, printing	3.75	
Richard H. Perry, insurance	7.55	
		$ 2,671.01

School Police

Mark N. White	$ 100.50

Police Department Report for 1960

Calls received	1111
M. V. accidents reported	30
Injuries in M. V. accidents	9

All public dances and basketball games were policed.

Arrests:

Speeding	9
Careless and negligent operation	17
Reckless operation	4
Failing to have car under control	3
Minors possessing alcoholic beverages	4
Driving after revocation	1
Failing to stop for Police Officer in uniform	1
Driving without license to do so	3
Driving while intoxicated	1
Passing on solid unbroken painted line	1
Assault	1
Parking on sidewalk	3

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH WILLOUGHBY
Chief of Police

Fire Department

New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	$ 410.45	
Granite State Electric Co.	120.92	
N. H. Fire & Safety Equipment Co., lights, bell, extinquisher, nozzle, tips, and mittens	412.10	
Charlestown Garage	356.85	
Southern Twin State Fire Mutual Aid Assoc., dues	5.00	
Adin Houghton, recharge extinguisher	11.65	
Comstock, the Printer, printing	20.25	
Robert Burns, expenses to convention and for Fire Week	42.91	
Emblem Flag Co., flag	6.70	
Fire Engineering - subscription	6.00	
Gordon Adams, burning dump	2.91	
Arthur Laforge, burning dump	2.91	
Adams & Adams Agency, insurance	312.66	
National Fire Protection Assoc., subscription	15.00	
Rick's Electric Shop, supplies	3.12	
James R. Shea, supplies	33.03	
Jameson's Market, supplies	4.03	
Red's Esso Station	4.50	
Zabek Fire Apparatus, floor mop	9.75	
A. H. & R. H. Streeter, labor & materials	133.00	
Chase's Inc., cabinet and unit	15.05	
State of N. H., nozzle, shovels, axes	24.14	
Sudbury Laboratories, "Line-A-Tank"	12.50	
N. H. Association of Fire Chiefs, dues	3.00	
American Lafrance, repair parts	167.17	
Bemis Woodworking, repairs at hose house in No. Charlestown	41.01	
Eric R. Bibens Inc., weather strip	6.40	
		$ 2,183.01

Salaries, 22 Firemen	550.00	
Fireman's Retirement	132.00	
Warden's Training Meeting	68.20	
Meadowood Training School	19.95	
Red Cross lessons	31.75	
Steward's salary	75.00	
Clerk's salary (18 mo.)	60.00	
Halloween Watch	27.00	
Gasoline purchased from town	45.75	
4 alarm fires	390.67	
6 still alarms	54.90	
9 chimney fires	101.50	
5 oil burner fires	47.00	
3 grass fires	38.50	
8 resuscitator calls	55.80	
4 town dump calls	67.50	
3 mutual aid calls	82.50	
2 truck fires	15.00	
1 incinerator fire	13.50	
1 arson case	9.00	
1 wet down of gas	9.00	
1 cat rescue	3.00	
4 B & M grass fires	97.20	
2 forest fires	39.25	
		$ 2,033.97
Total cost of Fire Department		$ 4,216.98
Credit of Town Hall account, heat		150.00
		$ 4,366.98
Receipts:		
Forest Fires		112.58
Net cost of Fire Department		$ 4,254.40
Due Fire Department from fires for which public is liable		$ 578.85

Forest Fire Report

The following information is taken from a report of District Fire Chief Cornelius Wood.

Carelessness, HUMAN CARELESSNESS, causes 9 out of 10 forest fires. Each year 200,000 fires burn over 30 million acres in the United States. This represents 5 percent of our nation's woodlands being wasted each year. Every fire takes its toll. Floods follow; stream flow is affected, timber, buildings, grazing and wildlife are destroyed - all because MANY are CARELESS with fire in and near woodland. This can be remedied. You can put an end to this shameful waste! PREVENTION IS YOUR BUSINESS!
The following simple rules may be used as a guide.

1. Before burning, secure a permit from your local forest fire warden - the law requires it.
2. Be sure to properly supervise your burning - don't leave it.
3. Make certain your fire, camp or debris, is DEAD OUT before leaving it.
4. Don't throw down lighted matches, cigars and cigarettes or from moving vehicles - make sure they are out - use your ash tray.
5. Don't burn at home - use your town dump and save yourself much possible difficulty, both personal and financial.

Number of local fires 6
Number of permits issued 106

Maintenance Fund for Resuscitator Oxygen and Rescue Boat

Balance on hand Jan. 6, 1960	$	49.56
Received from donations		20.00
	$	69.56
Paid outs:		
N. H. Fire & Safety Equipment Co. - oxygen		55.00
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1961	$	14.56

Municipal Court Report for 1960

There were 104 complaints brought before the court during the year 1960, listed as follows:

Motor Vehicle	86
Fish and Game	6
N. H. Public Utilities Commission	3
Non support	1
Larceny	2
Labor	2
Fugitive from Justice	1
Assault	3
	104

Financial Report of Municipal Court

Total Fines	$ 1,675.00	
Received from Small Claims Court	10.00	
		$ 1,685.00
Amounts paid:		
Motor Vehicle Department	837.00	
Dept. of Fish and Game	72.00	
N. H. Public Utilities Commission	54.00	
Stamps	8.00	
Sentinel Printing Co.	39.88	
Small Claims Forms		
Police Court Record Sheets		
Town of Charlestown	674.12	
		$ 1,685.00

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD H. PERRY

Justice

Municipal Court

Albert D. Leahy, Justice	36.00	
Willie L. Jones, Justice	145.00	
Richard H. Perry, Justice	300.00	
		$ 481.00

Taxes Bought by the Town (1959 Levy)

Arnold, Walter E.	$ 197.56
Atwood, Wallace & Phyllis	272.12
Baldwin, Malcolm A.	227.45
Bashaw, Albert	11.20
Benware, Arthur and Eva	283.67
Blaine, Curtis E.	78.96
Blanchard, Leon R. and Agnes	11.20
Brown, Carl C.	159.14
Brown, Earle W. and Eleanor	308.24
Colburn, Wilfred and Elizabeth	115.60
Colburn, Hugh and Clara	115.60
Fenderson, Ernest and Marjorie	123.93
Freeman, Harvey L. and Mildred	227.45
Gibson, Earle R.	190.14
Goodell, Alfred and Mary	216.20
Hughes, Chester J.	161.60
Jardine, Clarence	93.22
King, Lelia L.	78.35
Lagenback, Richard W.	41.04
McGee, Bertha E.	123.00
McLain, Emma	108.10
Merrill, Hercy A.	227.45
Neilsen, Lawrence and Annette	190.14
Parkhurst, John and Eleanor	99.49
Prouty, Gerald and Mildred	246.05
Ring, Charles and Dorris	308.24
Rock, Elroy and Ruth	115.60
Seale, Everett and Winona	63.40
Streeter, Anastasia	57.50
Towsley, Ellen B.	93.22
Walker, Theodore R.	415.23
Walton, Reginald and Hilda	182.82
White, Mark and Gertrude	308.24
White, Mark and Gertrude	308.24
Wilcox, Frank and Ada	26.12
Wright, Edward and Esther	157.24
Austin, Fay	14.96
Buffam Estate, Wayne L.	8.21
Hall, Emery W.	26.12
Miler, Lena M.	18.65
MacDonald, Lita W.	11.20

Neth, Ralph and Mary	78.35	
Porter, Ellen	11.20	
Putnam, Harvey S.	26.12	
	$ 6,137.56	
Walter G. Smith, Jr. collector, expenses of sale	159.00	
		$ 6,296.56

Tax Abatements

Walter G. Smith, Jr., tax collector		
1956 Poll taxes	$ 54.00	
Earl Putnam, Elroy Rock, Old Fort No. 4	313.90	
Melvin Fontaine	73.00	
1960 Poll taxes	28.00	
1958, 1959 and 1960 poll taxes, 1955 property tax, 1957 timber tax	158.53	
1959 Theo. J. Frizzell	63.90	
		$ 691.33

Library

E. Peckham Barber, Treasurer		$ 1,700.00

Street Lighting

Granite State Electric Co.	$ 2,811.91	
Connecticut Valley Electric Co.	288.00	
Rick's Electric Shop, bulbs	2.28	
		$ 3,102.19

Swimming Pool

Patricia Reese, lifeguard	495.00	
Sylvia Sylvester, lifeguard	480.00	
Harold H. Ward, Sr., labor	98.33	
William B. Hazelton. labor	28.60	
James Curtis, Sr., labor	3.00	
Arthur Laforge, labor	2.50	
Rex Green, labor	2.50	
O. W. Stevens labor and steel	6.05	
Kimball's Inc., metal box	2.15	
Kendall's Pharmacy, supplies	2.02	
Aumands & Son, supplies	7.50	
Jameson's Market, locks	3.00	
Bemis Woodworking, paint	2.15	
Charlestown Garage, labor	1.04	
		$ 1,133.84

Credit:		
Refund from Sylvia Sylvester		38.80
Net cost of swimming pool		$ 1,095.04

Dog Account

Robert A. Hayes, collecting dog fees	$ 150.00	
Robert A. Hayes, expenses	8.80	
Haubrich Clinic	30.00	
		$ 188.80

Town Dump

Jesse Porter	$ 727.50	
Jesse Porter, locks and gate repairs	7.00	
Arthur Laforge, labor	2.50	
Robert Burns, labor	2.50	
		$ 739.50

Care of Trees

Harold Willoughby	$ 1,859.25	
Alexander MacCormack	15.75	
Earle Colby, loading elm wood	69.54	
Bartlett Tree Expert Co., spraying	660.00	
Richard H. Perry, insurance	40.43	
		$ 2,644.97

White Pine Blister Rust Control

William Messeck, Jr., State Forester		$ 250.00

Financial Statement-Town of Charlestown 1960

Town funds expended	$ 249.20	
Cooperative aid to town	631.49	
		$ 880.69
1960 Town Appropriation	250.00	
Town funds expended	249.20	
Balance due town		$ .80

Area worked - 1,914 acres Current and gooseberry bushes destroyed 6,256

Auto Permits

William S. Fairbanks, town clerk	$ 790.00

Town Poor

Oscar F. Adams, Overseer of Poor	$ 2,669.81	
State of N. H., Aid to Handicapped	51.80	
		$ 2,721.61

Old Age Assistance

State of New Hampshire, for Town's share		$ 4,847.23

Cemeteries

Forest Hill Cemetery		
Harold H. Ward., Sexton	$ 663.95	
Other labor	920.50	
		$ 1,584.45
Hope Hill Cemetery		
Harold H. Ward, Sr., Sexton	$ 338.00	
Other labor	367.00	
		$ 705.00
Pinecrest Cemetery		
Harold H. Ward, Sr., Sexton	$ 75.33	
Other labor	40.70	
		$ 116.03
Old Cemetery at North Charlestown		
Harold H. Ward, Sr., Sexton	$ 101.15	
Other labor	91.70	
		$ 192.85
St. Catherine Cemetery		
Harold H. Ward, Sr., Sexton	$ 8.05	
Other labor	109.00	
		$ 117.05
General Expenses:		
R. N. Johnson, mower, parts	$ 179.00	
George W. Cass, blades	20.90	
Richardson's Sharpening Service	9.28	
Orin's Shell Station, oil	1.00	
Howard Hardware Co., clippers, rake	10.48	
A. H. & R. H. Streeter, labor	9.27	
Charlestown Garage, plugs	9.27	
Cray Oil Co., grease	4.75	
Charlestown Water Dept. New cemetery, back hoe work & supplies	372.67	
Bemis Woodworking, nails and lumber	5.87	

Harold H. Ward, Sr., use of truck	253.45	
Stanley Moshinski, hedge work	9.00	
Jameson's Market, whisk brooms	2.07	
Richard H. Perry, insurance	21.26	
Comstock the Printer, printing	4.50	
Jancewicz & Son, roof repairs	70.25	
Arnold Cuthbert, blades	2.00	
Hunter Oil Co., parts	3.35	
Erwin Surrell, mowing	15.00	
		$ 1,004.85
Total cost of cemeteries		$ 3,720.23

Financial Report on Cemeteries

From Trustee of Trust Funds		$ 1,250.00	
From sale of lots		17.00	
From Harold H. Ward, Sr., care of lots		199.00	
From 1960 Appropriation		1,000.00	
From New Cemetery balance		500.00	
From balance of 1960 account		319.46	
From sale of lumber Hope Hill	$460.92		
Old Cem.	178.47		
		639.39	
			3,924.85
Disbursements			3,720.23
Balance to be expended in 1961			$ 204.62

Interest

First National Bank, Springfield, Vt.		
Anticipation of taxes	$ 910.94	
Grader note	55.17	
Main St. Surface Drain	55.17	
		$ 1,021.28

Indebtedness

First National Bank, Springfield, Vt.		
Loans in anticipation of taxes	$75,000.00	
Grader note	1,000.00	
Main St. Surface Drain	2,000.00	
		$78,000.00

Town Clock

Walter G. Smith, Jr., winding clock	$ 75.00		
Walter G. Smith, Jr., oil	.45		
Robert Hayes, servicing	13.50		
		$	88.95

Health Department

Walter W. Kidder, express, postage and phone	$ 28.24		
Dr. Paul Willard, vaccinations	30.00		
Dr. Charles Keeley, vaccinations	1.00		
		$	59.24

Vital Statistics

William S. Fairbanks, town clerk, reporting births, deaths & marriages		$	75.25

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions

County Tax	$17,761.91		
School District			
Balance 1959-60 appropriation	102,210.35		
Paid on 1960-61 appropriation	47,000.00		
		$	166,972.26

Miscellaneous

Sewer withholding tax - Sewer Dept. reimburses Town		$	116.50
For Sewer Department			
Adams & Adams Agency, insurance	$ 14.64		
Richard H. Perry, insurance	33.57		
		$	48.21
For Water Department			
Adams & Adams Agency, insurance	$ 29.26		
Richard H. Perry, insurance	16.28		
		$	45.54
Care of flag			
Robert Clifford	$ 5.00		
Jameson's Market, rope	1.98		
		$	6.98

Bond & Retirement tax, State of New Hampshire		271.46
George Woodell, surveying		13.00
Dr. Paul C. Willard, Commitment		10.00
Northeastern Culvert Co. culvert for Cummings Ave.	$ 156.04	
Charlestown Water Dept. labor for Cummings Ave.	132.50	
		$ 288.54
J. Frank Frohock, bounties	13.50	
Alice E. Adams, bounties	9.00	
Walter H. Palmer, bounties	2.00	
		24.50
Perambulating Town Line		
J. Frank Frohock	10.00	
Walter H. Palmer	10.00	
		20.00
Dartmouth - Lake Sunapee Region Assoc.		50.00
Buckley, Zopf & Sayce, legal fees		75.00
Visiting Nurse Association, appropriation		1,000.00
Eric R. Bibens, Right of Way		25.00

Special Appropriation - Blinker Light

Rick's Electrical Shop	$ 256.47	
Granite State Electric Co., material	6.73	
Granite State Electric Co., electricity	32.62	
		$ 295.82

Riverview Park Surface Drain

E. R. Wiggins Concrete Products Co. blocks	$ 27.83	
E. R. Wiggins Builders Supplies	9.00	
Charlestown Water Dept. - backhoe work	100.00	
		$ 136.83

Memorial Day

R. D. Whitcomb Post No. 53	$ 100.00

Memorial Day Report

Received from Selectmen		$ 100.00	
Paid to			
Mrs. Ruth Wilson (6 wreaths)	$ 7.50		
Old Fort No. 4 (for rental of P. A. System)	10.00		
Claremont National Guard Firing squad	10.00		
Lovell E. Comstock, filling and placing urns	12.50		
Charlestown High School Band	35.00		
Eagle Flag Company, flags for graves	20.85		
		$ 95.85	
Unused portion returned to Town of Charlestown		$ 4.15	
Social Security Accounts			
Town share of Social Security for all departments for 1960		$1,363.44	
Employee's share of Social Security received from Water Department		162.54	
Received from Sewer Department		65.74	
			$ 1,591.72

Town History Report for 1960

Received from sale of Town Histories	$ 106.17
Paid Town Treasurer	106.17

Silsby Free Public Library

Treasurer's Report December 31, 1960

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1960	$ 973.84
From town appropriation	1,700.00
From trust fund	1,700.00
From Friendly Circle	15.10
From School district	26.46
	$ 4,415.40

Disbursements

Electricity	$ 69.80	
Librarian and Assistants	1,379.97	
Janitors	310.90	
Fuel	369.03	
Books	677.85	
Magazines	77.33	
Insurance	381.73	
Repairs, maintenance, etc.	279.84	
Supplies	50.62	
Decorating	402.30	
		3,999.37
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1961		$ 416.03

A. H. SAYCE

Temporary Treasurer

This year we had unexpected expenses, repairing furnace, rusting out of water pipe from street necessitating new copper pipe. We finished the redecorating of the South room. If we have enough money we would like to fix up the North room and the Stacks.

ARCHIE H. SAYCE,

Chairman of the

Board of Trustees

SILSBY FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Librarian's Report

Circulation for 1960:		
Adult, fiction	13715	
Juvenile fiction	9145	
Adult, non-fiction	2434	
Juvenile, non-fiction	547	
Periodicals	969	
School loan circulation	650	
Total circulation		27460
Number of books owned Jan. 1, 1960	12608	
Number of books discarded	150	
Number of books added by purchase		201
Adult fiction	106	
Juvenile fiction	40	
Adult, non-fiction	18	
Juvenile, non-fiction	37	
Number of books added by gifts		105
Adult, fiction	78	
Juvenile, fiction	25	
Non-fiction	2	
Total number of books added to collection		306
Total number of books owned December 31, 1960		12764

FLORENCE BINGHAM, Librarian

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

To the Town of Charlestown, N. H.

The following is a report of all automobiles taxed in the Town of Charlestown from January 1, 1960 to December 31, 1960.

Total amount of automobile permit fees received.	$12,671.60
Paid Town Treasurer	$12,671.60

Respectfully submitted

WILLIAM S. FAIRBANKS
Town Clerk

DOG ACCOUNT

To the Town of Charlestown, N. H.

The following is a report of dogs licensed in the Town of Charlestown during the year 1960.

Number of dogs licensed:	345	
Amount received:		
Males		$ 324.00
Spayed		306.00
Females		100.00
Kennels		36.00
Fines collected		19.00
		$ 785.00
Less Town Clerk's Fee		69.00
Paid Town Treasurer		$ 716.00

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM S. FAIRBANKS
Town Clerk

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT - 1960

1955 Levy

Dr.

Uncollected property taxes Jan. 1, 1960	$ 13.64

Cr.

Paid town treasurer	13.64

1957 Levy

Dr.

Uncollected yield taxes Jan. 1, 1960	$ 169.56
Interest collected on yield taxes	4.31
	$ 173.87

Cr.

Paid town treasurer	$ 173.87

Dr.

1958 Levy

Uncollected poll taxes Jan. 1, 1960	$ 26.00

Cr.

Paid town treasurer	$ 26.00

1959 Levy

Dr.

Uncollected property taxes Jan. 1, 1960	$36,096.89
Interest collected on property taxes	1,493.70
Uncollected yield taxes Jan. 1, 1960	1,237.31
Interest collected on yield taxes	27.39
Uncollected poll taxes Jan. 1, 1960	408.00
Penalties collected on poll taxes	33.80
Uncollected head taxes Jan. 1, 1960	1,600.00
Penalties collected on head taxes	143.00
	$41,040.09

Cr.

Paid town treasurer	$40,782.06
Uncollected property taxes Dec. 31, 1960	64.00
Uncollected yield taxes Dec. 31, 1960	26.03
Uncollected poll taxes Dec. 31, 1960	8.00
Head taxes abated Dec. 31, 1960	160.00
	$41,040.09

1960 Levy

Dr.

Property tax warrant	$231,147.13
Added property tax warrant	846.80
Interest collected on property taxes	11.97
Yield tax warrant	3,494.29
Poll tax warrant	2,028.00
Added poll tax warrant	22.00
Penalties collected on poll taxes	36.00
Head tax warrant	6,340.00
Added head tax warrant	55.00
	$243,981.19

Cr.

Paid town treasurer	$200,393.08
Uncollected property taxes Dec. 31, 1960	40,368.53
Uncollected yield taxes Dec. 31, 1960	1,065.58
Uncollected poll taxes Dec. 31, 1960	454.00
Uncollected head taxes Dec. 31, 1960	1,620.00
Head taxes abated Dec. 31, 1960	80.00
	$243,981.19

STATE HEAD TAX ACCOUNT

for fiscal year ending December 15, 1960.

Received from Walter G. Smith, Jr.		$ 6,278.00
Remitted to state	$ 5,670.00	
Selectmen	63.80	
Walter G. Smith, Jr.	182.40	
Town of Charlestown	361.80	
		$ 6,278.00

WILLIAM MILLER, Treasurer.

OVERSEER OF THE POOR REPORT FOR 1960

Name	Food	Nursing Home	Medical	County Home
Frank Wilcox	$ 70.00			
Maude Mooney		$ 190.00	$ 8.21	
Ida Morse				$ 369.53
Frank Wilcox	120.00			
Maude Mooney			4.00	
Maude Mooney		130.00	3.73	
Ida Morse				439.58
Ida Morse				224.40
Ida Morse				224.42
Ida Morse				217.82
Ida Morse				224.80
Ida Morse				216.70
Ida Morse				226.62
Totals	$ 190.00	$ 320.00	$ 15.94	$2,143.87

Frank Wilcox	$ 190.00
Maude Mooney	320.00
Maude Mooney, medical	15.94
Ida Morse	2,143.87
	$2,669.81

OSCAR F. ADAMS,
Overseer of Poor

SEWER DEPT.

Report of Supt. Earl Putnam

The sewer system was cleaned this year. Also we have some new chemical which we are using to kill roots that is working very satisfactory.

The Sewer Dept. also corrected a very bad situation at the toll bridge area by extending the sewer main 70 ft. into the River.

We made six new connections..

Thank you,

EARL PUTNAM, Supt.

Sewer Department Equipment and Supplies

Sewer pipe & fittings	$275.00
Sewer tools	525.00
Hose shovels & torches	60.00
Miscellaneous	45.00
One third cost of truck	50.00
	$ 955.00

SEWER TAX REPORT - 1960

1958 Levy

Dr.

Uncollected sewer taxes Jan. 1, 1960	$ 6.00
Interest collected on sewer taxes	.75
	$ 6.75

Cr.

Paid sewer commissioners	$ 6.75

1959 Levy

Dr.

Uncollected sewer taxes Jan. 1, 1960	$ 374.00
Interest collected on sewer taxes	13.79
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1960	18.00
	$ 405.79

Cr.

Paid sewer commissioners	$ 399.79
Uncollected sewer taxes Dec. 31, 1960	6.00
	$ 405.79

1960 Levy

Dr.

Sewer tax warrant	$ 2,455.60
Interest collected on sewer taxes	.19
	$ 2,455.79

Cr.

Paid sewer commissioners	$ 2,024.79
Uncollected sewer taxes Dec. 31, 1960	431.00
	$ 2,455.79

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER G. SMITH, JR.

Tax Collector

REPORT OF SEWER COMMISSION FOR 1960

Balance on hand Jan. 27, 1960		$3,433.09	
Receipts:			
William W. Johnson		22.88	
Earl Revord		36.35	
Mark Worthley		2.40	
Charlestown Water Department		5.92	
Walter G. Smith, Jr., Collector			
1958 Sewer rentals	$ 6.75		
1959 Sewer rentals	399.79		
1960 Sewer rentals	2,024.79		
		$2,431.33	
			$5,931.97

Payments:

Labor	
Rex Green (after deductions)	$ 676.21
Rolla H. Smith (after deductions	1,027.83
Earl P. Putnam (after deductions and salary)	301.65
Walter G. Smith, Collector (after deductions)	97.00
Sanfax Corp.	312.43
A. H. & R. H. Streeter (pipe)	84.46
Wiggins Concrete Prod. Inc. base	13.00
E. R. Wiggins Builders Supplies, Inc. cement, catch basin	66.70
New Hampshire Supply Co., gloves	12.10
J. F. McDermott Co., Inc., auger rods and guide	21.20
Cold River Sand & Gravel Corp., concrete sand	11.85
Charlestown Water Department, backhoe tractor work	10.00
Charlestown Water Department, backhoe tractor work	35.00
Town of Charlestown Truck insurance, Workmen's Compensation Insurance, liability insurance, 1-3 cost of gasoline (truck) Social Security withheld, Withholding Tax withheld, work by highway department	277.59

Town of Charlestown		
Work at Cheshire Bridge, outlet, 331 yards gravel, highway department	139.15	
Noreastern	193.94	
Bemis Woodworking, bulldozer	150.00	
Total Payments		$3,430.11
		$2,501.86

WATER DEPARTMENT

Receipts and Disbursements for 1960
January 1, 1960 to December 31, 1960
Richard H. Perry, Treasurer

Receipts, 1960

Balance in Connecticut River National Bank, January 1, 1960		$ 624.83
Received from Collector of Water Rents, Harold Blodgett	$ 8,196.39	
Received from new services rendered	613.96	
Received from Backhoe Tractor jobs New services	164.50	
Received from Backhoe Tractor work Customer jobs	1,169.35	
Reimbursement from Town of Charlestown for over-payment of Liability insurance	288.24	
Miscellaneous receipts	474.26	
		10,906.70
		$11,531.53

Disbursements

Boston & Maine Railroad	5.00
Connecticut River National Bank (2 phone calls to Public Utilities)	2.52
Orin's Shell Service Station	49.70
Charlestown Garage (Garage rent for Tractor)	110.00

Charlestown Garage, truck expense	199.66
Louis Comstock, printing	46.50
Town of Springfield, Vermont, Water Dept.	63.62
Granite State Electric Co.	71.73
George A. Caldwell Co., supplies	1,230.38
New England Chemical Supply, Chlorine	75.00
Hartford Oil Co.	17.51
Wirthmore Stores	9.50
Perry Insurance Agency	65.50
Perry Insurance Agency, Public Liability (Paid $288.24 in error)	309.84
Buckley, Zopf, & Sayce	50.00
Rick's Electric Shop	12.42
District Director of Internal Revenue	473.60
Kendall's Pharmacy	2.40
Red,s Esso Service	1.30
Pinnacleview Farm Equipment, Tractor expense	49.01
R. N. Johnson, Tractor equipment	42.61
Chase's, Inc.	18.25
Red Head Mfg. Company	12.58
The Bradford Price Book, material and labor sheets	12.95
Neptune Meter Company	298.18
New Hampshire Supply Company	496.89
G. H. Tilden Company	25.21
Jameson's Market	14.49
E. R. Wiggins, Builders & Supplies	19.63
Claremont Publishing Company	12.00
Kimball's Inc.	8.90
H. R. Prescott & Sons, Inc., supplies	417.04
Public Utilities Commission	71.10
Cray Oil Company	4.40
Gertrude Cahalane, stamps	7.00
O. W. Stevens	5.00
Arthur Whitcomb Inc.	.69
Paul E. St. Pierre, Gravel	17.50
New Hampshire Water Works Association	10.00
Charlestown Sewer Department, ½ cost of concrete sand purchased	5.92
Town of Charlestown, 2/3 cost of truck insurance	29.26
Town of Charlestown, 2/3 cost of gasoline for truck	77.48

Town of Charlestown, Liability insurance (additional premium due a/c audit)	16.28
Town of Charlestown, Social Security withheld from employees	162.54
Gasoline for Tractor (gasoline at .167 per gal.)	68.80
Richard H. Perry (expenses for Harold Blodgett & Richard Perry to Public Utilities Comm., Concord, N. H. on two occasions)	25.00
Harold Blodgett	30.00
Harold Blodgett (change to be used in collection of water bills)	25.00
Payroll	4,798.79
Outside Labor	89.35
Salaries	525.00
	$10,193.03
Balance in Connecticut River National Bank December 31, 1960	1,338.50

COLLECTED FOR LABOR AND SUPPLIES, 1960

Finette Sullivan	$ 44.80
Arthur Pelton	46.87
Dan Couture	5.00
Town of Charlestown, pipe for new cemetery	160.72
Albertine Shaw	10.47
Rick's Electric Shop (Hood's)	19.64
Arthur Streeter (W. W. Johnson job)	10.70
Rick's Electric Shop (Wood's, Elm St.)	23.81
David Ricker (special account)	120.00
Warren Johnson	32.25
	$ 474.26

New Services

Carl Bennett	$ 36.96
Town of Charlestown Highway Department	16.05
George Moulton	492.77
George Moulton	35.63
Neil Rice	32.55
	$ 613.96

Backhoe Tractor Jobs - 1960, New Services

Sewer Department (Revord's)	$ 25.00
Sewer Department (Ronald Blair's)	10.00
Carl Bennett	91.00
Neil Rice	38.50
	$ 164.50

Backhoe Tractor Jobs - 1960

Town of Charlestown, draining Brackett's field	100.00
Town of Charlestown, new pipe for new cemetery	211.95
Ira Moore	24.50
Town of Charlestown Highway Department	15.00
Town of Charlestown (ditch at George Moulton's)	132.50
George Moulton	235.70
Clarence Smith	24.50
Rick's Electric Shop (Hood's)	14.00
A. H. Streeter (W. W. Johnson)	28.00
Walter Palmer	213.60
Rick's Electric Shop (Wood's)	7.00
Walter Palmer	40.60
H. E. Streeter	80.00
Town of Charlestown Highway Department	17.50
Warren Johnson	24.50
	$1,169.35

UNCOLLECTED FOR LABOR AND SUPPLIES

1951	$ 31.96
1952	65.71
1953	79.28
1955	51.00
1956	49.52
1958	26.30
1959	27.75
1960	1,267.97
	$1,599.49

UNCOLLECTED FOR BACKHOE TRACTOR JOBS

1959	$ 38.50
1960	573.21
	$ 611.71

RICHARD H. PERRY

WATER DEPARTMENT

Report of the Treasurer

The year has been a busy one. The annual report which is sent to the Public Utilities Corporation at Concord was not acceptable and they requested that it be corrected. To do this properly Mr. Blodgett and I went to Concord three times. Also Mr. Gagnon of the Public Utilities Corporation came to Charlestown to assist in setting up a bookkeeping system which would insure an acceptable yearly return.

While at the Public Utilities Corporation we were advised by them how our water system financial situation should and could be improved. They have assisted other towns of the state in similar circumstances.

We learned that the town should have been collecting more money from the users through higher rates. There has been but one increase in rates since the system was installed, and that was a small incrase. If this had been done we would and that was a small increase. If this had been done we would have been able to establish a surplus to draw on in case of an emergency.

The 1959 Balance Sheet of the Water Department reflects Plant in the amount of $143,453.00. The Plant has been paid for from the following funds.

Depreciation	$57,876.00	
Net income over the years	76,113.00	
Contributions from customers	9,464.00	
		$143,453.00

There is no debt or municipal investment outstanding.

Sound utility operation requires that sufficient revenues be derived from all classes of consumers, including hydrant rentals, to pay the utility's operation and maintenance expenses, depreciation, taxes, and reasonable interest on bonds, or municipal investment. Depreciation is an allowance which the consumer pays for the wearing out of old plant. These depreciation funds may be used for new construction or payment on bonds, or municipal investment outstanding, and are required to be included as an expense of a Municipal water company by New Hampshire law.

The 1959 income statement shows that expenses exceed revenues in the amount of $2,259.00. Therefore, water rates

have to be increased by at least this amount. However, if there is new construction contemplated for a sizeable amount, new capital will be needed upon which interest will have to be paid. Also, a small amount of revenues should go to surplus each year to provide for contingencies. Therefore, a rate increase should also provide for these items. The 1959 annual report also discloses that additions to plant were $7,502.00 for that year of which $3,128.00 was provided for by 1959 depreciation, and the remainder by prior years' depreciation money. Cash on hand is only $625.00. Therefore, any sizeable additions to plant in the near future will have to come from new capital.

The system is living on borrowed time and a serious condition might arise which would mean a very sizable expenditure for nearly complete renovation. To lighten the load when that time arrives it is imperative that a yearly surplus is shown. Therefore, it is imperative that new revenue be found. This can come by an increase in water rentals, and hydrant rentals. If the town does not grant rental for the hydrants the increase must come through water rentals.

RICHARD H. PERRY, Treasurer

WATER DEPARTMENT

Report of Superintendent Earl Putnam

The Water Department had the North Charlestown and lower reservoir in town cleaned this last spring.

We also had the county forester look over our wood land and are now waiting for a written report and recommendations.

We had one major break in the North Charlestown system this year caused by an auto accident. Also had one in the 12 inch main in the town system.

Installed six more new meters. Made ten new service connections and replaced ten old services.

Repaired one old hydrant and have two slated for this summer.

Thank you.

EARL PUTNAM

Water Department Repair Parts and Supplies

Pipe and fittings	$ 145.00
Meters and supplies	175.00
Pumps and jack hammers	450.00
Hose, shovels, torches and pipe tools	250.00
Hydrants and gate valves	85.00
Tractor backhoe	5000.00
Two-thirds cost of truck	200.00
	$6,305.00

CHARLESTOWN WATER DEPARTMENT

Collector of Water Rents

Harold Blodgett

Rents to be Collected for 1960	$10,340.94	
Previous Uncollected	7,793.32	
		$18,134.26
Paid Treasurer	10,590.14	
Uncollected 1960	6,122.11	
Uncollected 1959	951.47	
Uncollected 1958	278.35	
Uncollected 1957 & Previous Years	318.05	
Abatements 1960	18.00	
Misc. Exp.	14.10	
Cash on Hand	13.98	
Paid Treasurer (Overpayment)	171.94	
		$18,134.26

I would again like to thank the customers of the water department and the auditors for their support and critical look at the Water Department. At the close of the third year of collecting water rents I think some progress has been made, more needs to be done.

HAROLD BLODGETT, Collector

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Fred H. Perry Lovell E. Comstock Gladys A. Galbraith
Trustees

New Cemetery Accounts

Name	Amount	Cemetery
Charles O. Butler	$ 50.00	Forest Hill
Levi Cross, Geo. E. Butler	100.00	Forest Hill
Harry Colefax	50.00	Forest Hill
William E. Hartley	100.00	Forest Hill
Thomas Ward Hartley	100.00	Forest Hill
Edward L. Adams	100.00	Forest Hill
Louis C. Reed	100.00	Pine Crest
Wesley Place	100.00	Pine Crest
Earle J. Place	50.00	Forest Hill
Willard Lane	100.00	Hope Hill
John Donovan	100.00	St. Catherine
F. Hadley & Dora C. Sherwin	50.00	Forest Hill
David V. Cahalane	100.00	St. Catherine
Total amount of funds held by the Trustees as of December 31, 1960		$101,652.80

Income Account

Balance on hand January 1, 1960	$ 9,402.54	
Receipts for the year	4,953.30	
		$14,355.84
Disbursements	$ 3,848.28	
Balance on hand December 31, 1960	10,507.56	
		$14,355.84

Expenditures

Paid to Treasurer of Silsby Free Public Library	$1,700.00
To Town of Charlestown for cemeteries	1,250.00
Safe deposit box, Conn. River National Bank	4.40
L. W. Stanley, Jr., asphalt work, from Hoyt fund	275.00
Sunnyfields, plants for Hoyt and Bowker lots	20.00
To 15 widows, from the Porter Widows Fund	570.00
To School Treasurer, from the Swan Fund	28.88
	$3,848.28

AUDITORS' STATEMENT

We, the undersigned Auditors of the Town of Charlestown, have examined the accounts as set forth in the accompanying schedule of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Treasurer of the Silsby Free Public Library, Water Commissioners, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Trustees of Trust Funds, and other Town Officers, and find them correct to the best of our knowledge.

HENRY J. FARRELL
MARGARET H. SPAULDING
LOUIS L. COMSTOCK
Auditors

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE 1960

Under the New Hampshire State Department of Health, and in cooperation with the school nurse, there have been two poliomyelitis and two triple immunization clinics held in Charlestown the year 1960.

Poliomyelitis attendance		149
1st shots	9	
2nd shots	16	
3rd shots	26	
4th shots	98	

Triple, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough and Tetanus

Attendance		76
1st shots	16	
2nd shots	8	
3rd shots	3	
Booster shots	49	
Vaccinations	47	

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH H. CARRIEL, R. N.
Public Health Nurse

CHARLESTOWN VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION

Report for Year July 1, 1959 to June 30, 1960

Receipts

Membership drive	$ 619.00	
Nurse's calls	391.50	
Town of Charlestown	1,000.00	
Charlestown Grange	25.00	
		$2,035.50

Expenses

Nurse salary	$1,578.00	
Nurse mileage	79.31	
Equipment and supplies	104.96	
Miscellaneous (bonding, incorporating, postage, etc.)	51.00	
		$1,813.27
Cash on hand July 1, 1960		$ 222.23

This financial report covers the first full year of service by the Association.

The current year is showing a substantial increase in the number of calls, 420 calls having been made between July 1, 1960 and December 31, 1960, as compared with 378 calls for the entire first year, July 1, 1959 to June 30, 1960.

Because of this increased income from nurse's calls, we feel that we need ask for only $500 this year, instead of the $1,000 granted in previous years.

The work has not only increased, but has been increasingly varied, ranging from physical therapy to new baby care. Mrs. Sanderson went to Hanover for instruction in the special physical therapy needed by one patient, and has also, with other local nurses, received instruction in the use of the resuscitator.

The nursing service is still on a part-time basis, Mrs. Sanderson being on duty forenoons, Monday through Friday, with Miss Elizabeth Ahern acting as substitute.

Equipment and supplies have been purchased as the need arose, or when there was an opportunity to make a considerable saving. The Association is fortunate in having received the gift of some sick-room equipment.

The directors feel that the work is showing a satisfactory rate of growth and a value that can best be measured in terms of its contribution to the comfort and well-being of the patients.

GLADYS L. KIDDER

Directors:

Mrs. Walter Kidder, President
Mrs. Leonard Gray, Vice President
Mrs. Arlin Warren, Secretary
Theodore Frizzell, Treasurer
Mrs. Maurice Gould
Mrs. Raymond Wilder
Mrs. Donald Woods
Robert L. Stevenson
J. Frank Frohock

REPORT OF HEALTH OFFICER 1960

The usual routine matters have received attention and samples of water submitted to the State Board of Health, from both Charlestown and North Charlestown supplies, and have, in most cases, been reported satisfactory.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER W. KIDDER,
Health Officer

SCHOOL REPORT

CHARLESTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

EXECUTIVE ORGANIZATION

Moderator
MARTHA M. FRIZZELL

Clerk
ARLINE WARREN

School Board

HORACE BASCOM	Term expires 1961
DANA OLDEN	Term expires 1961
JAMES AUSTIN	Term expires 1961
FOREST BUCKLAND	Term expires 1962
VERA WILLARD	Term expires 1963
CECIL FISK	Term expires 1963

Treasurer
BEATRICE OLDEN

Auditors
MARGARET SPAULDING LOUIS COMSTOCK

Union Clerk
DORIS RIPLEY

School Physician
DR. PAUL C. WILLARD

School Nurse
FLORENCE MacIVER

Superintendent of Union No. 5
NOYES C. STICKNEY, SR.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the School Board and Citizens of Charlestown, I herewith submit my annual report as Superintendent of Schools.

Teaching Staff

We wish to report the changes in the teaching staff this year. The following instructors were hired to begin service in the Charlestown schools this past September:

Mr. Chandler Mosher was appointed Principal of the Holden School. He succeeded Mr. Stuart Carter, who is now employed elsewhere. Mr. Mosher is agraduate of Castleton Teachers' College in Vermont, and also holds a Master's Degree from the University of Vermont. He was formerly a teacher and Principal of an elementary school in Charlotte, Vermont. He has had six years of experience in public school service in Vermont.

Mr. William Hall was appointed instructor in Mathematics, English and Social Studies. He succeeded Mrs. Nancy Eaton who has left the teaching profession. Mr. Hall graduated from Princeton University and taught the past four years at Unity.

Miss Annette LaFrank was appointed instructor in English. She succeeded Miss Margaret Stoughton who resigned to accept a position in Ashland, Mass. Miss LaFrank is a graduate of Keene Teachers' College and has also done graduate work at Boston University. She was a teacher for six years at Chester, Vermont High School before coming to Charlestown.

Mr. Donald Purrinton was appointed instructor in Social Studies. He succeeded Mr. Donald Gaudreau who resigned to accept a position at Bellows Falls High School. Mr. Purrinton is a graduate of Boston University.

Mrs. Kathleen Duranty was appointed instructor of the fourth grade at Holden School, returning after a one year leave of absence. Mrs. Duranty succeeded Mrs. Freda Munroe who resigned to accept a position in Claremont.

Mr. Russell Smith was appointed instructor in Chemistry, Physics and General Science. He succeeded Mr. Donald Pruden who left to accept a position in industry. Mr. Smith graduated from the University of Maine and is continuing his graduate study at that institution.

Other faculty members returning to their teaching assignments include the following:

High School

Mrs. Monetta Baldwin: Latin and English
Mrs. Carol Guy: Mathematics and Science, Junior Department
Mrs. Thelma Hause: Domestic Science and Visual Aids
Mrs. Daisy Hronek: Mathematics
Mr. Robert Ingalls: Industrial Arts
Miss Janice Moody: Commercial Subjects
Mr. Arthur Gude: Social Studies
Mr. Ralph Silva: Physical Education and Science
Mrs. Louise West: French and English
Mr. Bruce Wood: Music
Mr. Ralph Staples: Principal and Biology

Holden School

Mrs. Doris Blodgett: Grade 2
Mrs. Eleanor Brown: Grade 3
Mrs. Olive Decker: Remedial
Mrs. Anne Doolan: Grade 2
Mrs. Gladys Hood: Grade 6
Mrs. Viola Horton: Grade 5
Mrs. Dora Sherwin: Grade 4
Mrs. Phyllis Reed: Grade 3

Stucco School

Mrs. Ruth Weeks: Grade 1
Miss Regis Massucco: Grade 1

Farwell School

Mrs. Olive Bashaw: Grades 1-2-3 and Principal
Mrs. Minnie Smith: Grades 4-5-6

Superintendent's Proposals for Next Year

1. The employment of a Teacher Aide at the Holden School to assist teachers in the many non-academic assignments associated with the operation of the school. This would relieve teachers to give them more time for the actual teaching responsibilities in the classroom.

2. The construction of an additional classroom in the high school, on the second floor over the present stage. This would provide space for additional needed class capacity.

3. Continuing the project in Science, to purchase more equipment for that department under the National Defense

Act. Fifty percent of this outlay would be reimbursed by the Government.

4. The participation of the Charlestown School District in the support of a class for Mentally Retarded Children. Such a project would require a contribution from each of the towns in Union No. 5, and be financed on a Union Basis.

Maintenance and Building Improvements

The maintenance in the several buildings has been kept at a high standard. We are very grateful and appreciative of the efforts of Mr. LaForge, Mr. Ambrose and Mr. Sawyer. Mr. Ambrose resigned as of December 1st and Mr. Arnold was appointed full time custodian. Mr. LaForge has been transferred to the High School, with Mr. Arnold assigned to the Holden School.

During the summer all buildings were thoroughly cleaned and floors refinished. Much was done to improve our buildings and increase their efficiency. New lights were installed at the Holden School and the sanitary facilities were completely renovated. Several rooms at the High School were redecorated. The following is an outline of work completed this year:

Farwell School

Building cleaned during the summer vacation
Toilet room floors painted
Classroom and hall floors sealed and waxed
Desks revarnished
Ceiling repaired in boys' toilet room
New fire door built at entrance of boiler room

Stucco School

Building cleaned during summer vacation
Toilet room floors painted
Classroom and hall floors sealed and waxed
Desks revarnished
Front steps repaired
Renovations made to improve the efficiency of the kindergarten room

Holden School

Building cleaned during summer vacation
Floors sealed and waxed
Desks revarnished
Installed new lights in all classrooms and halls

Modernized all toilet and sanitary facilities
Oil burner installed in December

High School

Building cleaned during summer vacation
Floors in classrooms and halls washed and waxed
Painted concrete floors in basement
Boiler cleaned and inspected
Re-covered benches in Home Economics room
Installed lights in office and Room No. 11
Redecorated rooms No's 6, 7, 8 and 11 (Woodwork)
Refinished gymnasium floor

State Aid and Other Income

The incomes to the school district from the various sources can be listed as follows:

1.	General State Foundation Aid	$46,169.39
2.	State Building Aid	3,497.62
3.	Tuition Income	346.00
4.	Miscellaneous Sources (Estimated)	1,550.00
		$51,563.01

Four Years of Progress

I am sure the citizens of Charlestown will be interested to know of the many changes and improvements which have been made since the summer of 1957. We should commend the members of the School Board for their efforts to raise the standards of Education and improve the school facilities in the interest of our children. We are pleased to comment as follows:

1. The two classrooms at the Farwell School have been redecorated.

2. New flourescent lights have been installed in the classrooms at the Farwell School.

3. The basement room at the Farwell School has been renovated and is now used as an all-purpose room as well as facilities for remedial reading groups.

4. The Remedial Program has been expanded to include one day a week at the Farwell School.

5. Full time janitorial service has now been provided for the Holden and Stucco Schools, replacing student help which had been used for daily work, as well as for summer cleaning.

6. New flourescent lights have been installed in all classrooms of the Holden School.

7. All toilet facilities at the Holden School have been completely renovated and new modern fixtures have been installed.

8. Changes have been made in the heating plant at the Holden School. The boiler has been relined with high temperature refractory brick and oil burner installed.

9. All elementary grades from Grade 2 through 6 have been organized on an ability group basis. This plan has benefited not only the pupils but the teachers as well.

10. Additional fire extinguishers have been installed in the Holden School and many renovations made to improve conditions as a precaution against fire hazards.

11. New flourescent lights have been installed in the Stucco School.

12. Eight of the regular classrooms in the Holden School have been redecorated.

13. Two additional teachers have been assigned to the High School to cut down on the extremely heavy teacher loads due to the increasing school population.

14. The English classes at the High School have been set up on a "Two Track System". This has enabled us to separate college preparatory students from general course pupils.

15. Nearly $2,000 has been spent on the purchase of new Science equipment. This has strengthened this department immeasureably. Under the National Defense Act, 50% of this cost was shared by the State.

16. A salary schedule for teachers was adopted as a step toward increasing the retentive power of our faculty and to attract better teachers to our local schools.

17. One new classroom has been built in the basement of the High School and is now being equipped for use as a Biology Laboratory.

18. A new athletic field has been developed on the town owned property just south of the High School. We now have facilities for baseball as well as soccer.

19. Last year soccer, as a varsity sport, was added to our recreational program. This has provided another school activity for boys not interested in basketball or baseball.

20. The Superintendent's office has been moved out of the High School, providing space for one additional classroom on the first floor.

21. A part-time clerk is now employed at the High School building to assist the Principal in his detail work of administration.

22. The new suite of offices in the Postoffice Building provides more adequate facilities for operation of the Union Supervisory responsibilities. A full time clerk is now employed by Union No. 5, enabling us to give much better service to the nine schools located in the six towns comprising our local Union.

23. The insurance coverage on all school buildings has been reviewed by our local agents. The program has been increased in keeping with the rising costs of building replacements. We now have better protection under a single blanket policy at lower premium rates.

Hopes for the Future

Your Superintendent has recommended to the School Board the building and equipping of a language laboratory for the Charlestown High School. Such a laboratory would recognize the new approach to the teaching of modern foreign languages, and help immeasureably in the preparation of our students who plan to attend college.

As soon as finances will permit, it is imperative that we relieve our High School Principal of classroom teaching assignments, and put school administration and guidance on a full time basis. To make this change in the staff would require the hiring of an additional teacher.

In behalf of the members of the Charlestown School Board, I wish to thank the townspeople for their interest in and support of our schools. We shall endeavor to move forward to elevate the standards of education, to improve working conditions for teachers, and provide more generously for the welfare of our children.

Respectfully submitted,
NOYES C. STICKNEY, SR.
Superintendent of Schools

NOTE: "NO SCHOOL" SIGNAL: 7:00 a. m. No School
11:00 a. m. Solid Session

CHARLESTOWN HIGH SCHOOL
PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

In submitting my second annual report as Principal of Charlestown High School, I shall attempt to summarize some of the important developments that have taken place in our curriculum and activities program for the 1960-1961 academic year.

English Curriculum

The English program for grades seven through twelve which was formulated last year after a series of meetings of the teachers in the English department, has been put in effect this year. All classes are using the texts and recommended course of study of the American Book Company in correlation with the new state course of study in English. Units in poetry, short story, and the classics are being taught in Senior High with more stress being put on grammer, spelling, and vocabulary building in the Junior High. The reading laboratory has been used in the seventh and eleventh grades and later this year will be used in the twelfth grade to increase reading speed and comprehension. Returning alumni, at a meeting held during the Christmas recess, expressed gratitude for the help the reading program had given them in their college courses.

In cooperation with the Women's Auxiliary to Veterans of Foreign Wars, an essay contest was held among the students in the college sections of the ninth and tenth grades on civil preparation for atomic warfare. Nancy Weeks won the local contest and the state contest, so her essay was entered in the national contest. Other winners were Rose Howe and Hesslar Gates. It was most gratifying to have the opportunity and to have their efforts meet with such success.

Library

Although the school library does not yet meet the minimum standards for school libraries, some progress is being made. Twelve books have been purchased this Fall through the Town Library. The book sale held in December by Old Fort No. 4 Honor Society was not as successful a venture as the one held in May. Ten books were added to those in the library by the Honor Society at that time. The small ad-

mittance fee charged Play Night has been used toward the purchase of some excellent titles in paperbacks.

Dramatics

Dramatics has always been a most popular extra-curricular activity at Charlestown High School and this year has been no exception. Although it was hoped Charlestown High School might win the best play award among the competition plays presented by Alstead, Walpole, and Charlestown in April at Walpole, New Hampshire, Walpole High School was declared the winner. However, William Wetherell won the best actor award. On play Night, held at the High School Auditorium December 15, plays were presented in competition by the Junior, Sophomore, and Freshman classes. The judges, Mr. Edwin Morrill, Mrs. Mark Worthley and Mrs. Clyde Hunt, selected as best actress Kayda Smith, and as best actor, David Decker. The best play chosen was the Sophomore class presentation, "Three Little Words". The Senior Class will present a three act play in February. Plays will be offered in competition with Walpole and Alstead at Alstead this year in April, and for the small school Play Festival at Durham, N. H. March 24th and 25th.

Commercial Department

A new mimeograph machine has been purchased for use in the Commercial Department. This machine has been used advantageously in both the classroom and for school activities. Recently, the senior office practice girls completed a unit on Art mimeographing in which the emphasis has been on designing and multi-color work for stencil duplicating. As a final project, they designed and produced their own Christmas cards.

A Commercial Club has been formed. This group prepares all the programs for the various school activities and has recently taken over the publication of the school newspaper, the CHS Spotlight. Several projects have been brought into the school and these girls have worked on them on their own time. In return, they have received a moderate fee which has been placed in a special fund for later use. This enables the student to have a better insight into actual work experience and provides an added interest in the department.

In addition to the mimeograph machine and the regular typewriters, the students have the opportunity to become acquainted with an IBM electric typewriter, one electric and one manual full keyboard adding machine, a spirit duplicator, and a mimeoscope machine.

Industrial Arts Department

The Industrial Arts program is fortunate to be able to provide a new course in its curriculum. The purchase of a new metal spinning lathe has provided an opportunity to explore another area of possible employment in American industry. Although the course is still in its infancy, we hope to explore a great number of applications in this field. The field is only limited to a person's scope and ability.

Last year the Industrial Arts students participated in the 5th Annual Student Particpation Industrial Arts Fair held in Littleton, N. H. The students submitted a total of 13 projects and received 9 first awards, 3 second awards and an outstanding award, presented by the Ford Motor Company. With only 50 such awards given to Industrial Arts students in the state, this is an outstanding job for a student in our Industrial Arts Program.

Home Economics

Charlestown will represent the State of New Hampshire at the National Cherry Pie Contest held in Chicago on February 22. Susan French won this honor for our school by becoming the champion pie maker at the local, regional and state contests held at Charlestown, Lebanon and Durham.

The Future Homemakers of America has continued to be active in its organization. Their Christmas project was making stuffed animal toys for the children of Cedarcrest Home in Westmoreland.

Carolyn Robitille has been nominated to the National McCall Teen Fashion Board. This group is interested in sewing, style and textile problems of High School girls.

Eleven Senior girls have taken the National Betty Crocker examination in search of the Homemaker of Tomorrow.

Physical Education

During the National Physical Education week in February of 1960, the students at Charlestown High School were given an accredited physical fitness test, scaled on the basis

of age. Results of the tests show the majority of the students falling well below the national average.

In view of this, the department has selected various pieces of equipment designed to improve upon these areas of weakness. New equipment purchased last year were two 4' x 10' tumbling mats. Equipment requested in the budget this year includes a permanent horizontal bar and a set of permanent rings. The purpose behind this equipment is to enable the students to improve their degree of flexibllity, and strengthen their arms and legs, as well as to improve their physical and mental makeup.

Junior High Science

The main goals of Junior High Science are to provide a basic background of Science information; to develop in the student an ability and desire to use scientific methods; and to stimulate in the child an interest in science which will carry into everyday affairs and which will lead to a further study of science in High School.

The addition to the Junior High Science room, of a portable lab table with its own water source; propane torch, electrical outlet and all equipment necessary for standard science work has added immensely to the achievement of these goals. This new equipment makes it possible for many experiments and demonstrations to be carried on to explain and supplement regular classroom work.

Guidance

In the field of guidance we are carrying out our comprehensive four year testing program that was outlined in last year's Town Report.

The results of this program have been very beneficial in counseling students. Guidance conferences are held in the Spring for the incoming Freshmen. This gives the students and the parents the opportunity to meet the Principal and plan their four-year High School program.

In the Fall the same type of conferences are held with the Seniors, to help reach a decision concerning Post High School plans.

A graduate follow-up of the class of 1960 shows that 5 are married, 12 going on to various colleges, 1 unemployed,

3 working in industry, 3 in retail trade, 3 in the Army, 3 in the Air Force, 1 in the Marines, 1 in Nurse's Training, 1 in Trade School, and 1 in office work.

Faculty Professional Advancement

In the area of professional advancement, I am pleased to report that the following teachers have taken professional improvement courses during the year:

Robert Ingalls — Technique of Councilling and Comparative Economic Systems at Keene Teachers College.

Annette LaFrank — American Novel and Art in America, Boston University.

Arthur Gude — Teaching Modern Problems and United States History, Columbia University.

Daisy Hronek — Introduction to Modern Finite Mathematics, Dartmouth College.

Thelma Hause — Education Curriculum Workshop, Keene Teachers College.

William Hall — Seminar on Testing, Keene Teachers College.

In concluding, I want to thank the members of the School Board, School Staff, Superintendent, and the people of Charlestown for their support and cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,
RALPH L. STAPLES
Principal

HOLDEN SCHOOL - PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

The Holden School has now developed the ability grouping plan and its remedial program beyond the experimental stage. They are now a regular and accepted part of the school program. However, we must not become complacent with matters as they stand. New methods and ideas need to be continually studied and evaluated to be certain that we are giving our children the finest education possible. Charlestown is very fortunate in having so many educationally minded groups to aid the administration and the teachers in the search for better education.

Again this year the P.T.A. has continued its project to supplement the reading books available to the school children. Over $200 worth of books have been ordered this year.

These books are greatly appreciated by the children and the teachers, not only for the many hours of pleasure which they give, but for the immeasurable aid they give in supplementing the regular reading program.

A source of relief to both parents and teachers has been the blocking off of School Street between the hours of 7:45 A. M. and 4:00 P. M., while school is in session. This has not only reduced the traffic danger near the school, but has added a small amount of play area to our overcrowded playground. The addition of a traffic guard at the Keil Lock Company crossing has also added a great deal of relief to everyone's mind. Thanks go to Supt. Stickney and the P.T.A. for the amount of time and effort that was necessary to bring about these much needed changes.

Our sincere thanks go to the Mother's Club and the P.T.A. for the time and money spent in making our teachers' room a very pleasant place in which to work and relax. Two new easy chairs, new drapes, and the refinishing of the old furniture have contributed greatly in making the days more pleasureable for each teacher.

A study is being made by the Holden School faculty to evaluate the present testing program. At present, intelligence tests are given in grades one, three and six; achievement tests are given once a year to all grades in the Spring of the year; reading tests are given in grades one and two at the conclusion of each reading text and reading readiness tests are given to incoming first graders. Our goal is to evaluate the validity and effectiveness of this program and to see what, if necessary, should be done to make this program more sucessful.

I would like to express my sincere appreciation for the fine cooperation exhibited by the School Board, administration, teachers, staff and service organizations of the town during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

CHANDLER B. MOSHER
Principal

FARWELL SCHOOL - PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Farwell School started in September with an enrollment of fifty-one pupils. We now have fifty-four pupils.

This year the lower grades are learning to use a new globe, and a new canvas blackboard outline map of the United States. This map can be written on with chalk and then erased.

The upper grades have a new set of reading books.

Both rooms have new fifty star flags for inside use and also a new outdoor flag.

A new duplicator to replace the old one is very helpful.

We wish to thank the Mother's Club for their generous gift of money for the purchase of new film strips.

Both Mrs. Smith and I wish to express our appreciation to everyone who has helped Farwell School this past year.

Respectfully submitted,
OLIVE BASHAW
Principal

SCHOOL NURSE'S REPORT

In submitting my eighth annual report as School Nurse for Supervisory Union No. 5, I would like to cite some of the changes beneficial to the School Health Program which have been made during this eight year period.

Eight years ago Supervisory Union No. 5 was made up of eight school districts in which there were a total of 22 schools. In five of these districts heating and sanitary facilities represented serious health problems. Heating these particular school buildings was next to impossible during the severe winter weather. The only persons in the school who could keep warm were those seated near the stove. In most instances the stove had to be fed frequently with chunk wood. I recall one severe winter when it was necessary to close the school buildings in one district for three weeks because they could not be heated. Frequently children, of necessity, sat in school with heavy jackets and boots in order to keep warm. Sanitary facilities were at a minimum in these buildings. Water for drinking and hand washing was carried into these schools from a nearby water supply which

had been tested and approved by the State Board of Health. Lighting in these buildings was also poor.

Geographically these areas were widely separated and the large number of buildings necessitated miles of time consuming travel. This, in turn, curtailed the Nurse's services to the children in school as well as home visits and conferences with parents.

Today Supervisory Union No. 5 is comprised of six school districts, one of which is a cooperative serving two communities. There is a total of nine buildings in the Union. Each of these buildings is equipped with modern heating units, excellent sanitary facilities and adequate lighting. Hot water is provided in all buildings. The total environment in the present school buildings is one conducive to good health and good health habits.

The smaller number of school buildings affords more time for the School Nurse to spend in the school, as well as more time for home calls and parent conferences, which are so important.

New equipment to improve testing programs has been purchased. Namely: an Audiometer for hearing tests, an Orthorater for vision tests and a Wood's light for detecting scalp ringworm. This equipment makes for greater accuracy in the testing programs.

Improvements such as those above certainly create a healthful environment which in turn makes for better education and more wholesome living.

In conclusion I would like to extend my appreciation to all of you who have been so interested in the School Health Program and who have helped in so many ways.

Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE MacIVER
School Nurse

CHARLESTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF BONDED INDEBTEDNESS

July 1, 1961

Junior-Senior High School	
Principal	$63,000.00
Interest	4,903.50
Total	$67,903.50
Last payment due December 1, 1968	
Gymnasium	
Principal	$30,000.00
Interest	3,150.00
Total	$33,150.00
Last payment due July 1, 1970	
Grand Total	$101,053.50

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

July 1, 1959 to June 30, 1960

Cash on hand, July 1, 1959		$ 1,877.17
Received from Selectmen:		
Current Appropriation	$143,210.35	
Received from State Treasurer:		
State Funds	51,353.12	
Federal Funds	2,541.87	
Received as income from Trust Funds	28.06	
Received from all other sources	1,229.72	
		198,363.12
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year		$200,240.29
Less School Board Orders Paid		197,946.13
Balance on hand, June 30, 1960		$ 2,294.16

CHARLESTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET — 1961 - 1962

Expenditures	Actual Expenditures 1959-60	Adopted Budget 1960-61	Estimated Expenditures 1960-61	Proposed Budget 1961-62
Administration				
Salaries of District Officers	$ 765.00	$ 765.00	$ 765.00	$ 765.00
Superintendent's Salary (Local Share)	1,250.00	1,323.00	1,323.00	1,500.00
Tax for State Wide Supervision	1,328.00	1,352.00	1,350.00	1,322.00
Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel	1,675.00	1,714.00	1,719.00	1,720.00
Supplies & Expenses of Administration	2,343.85	2,498.00	2,498.00	2,535.00
Instruction				
Principal's Salary, High	5,800.00	6,000.00	6,000.00	6,300.00
Teachers' Salaries, High	33,615.30	46,150.00	38,600.00	51,900.00
Teachers' Salaries, Elementary	77,329.87	72,250.00	79,200.00	73,200.00
Books & Other Instructional Aids, High	578.02	686.25	850.00	1,009.00
Books & Other Instructional Aids, Elementary	1,670.96	1,680.00	1,680.00	1,863.00
Scholars' Supplies, High	1,173.79	1,052.25	1,300.00	2,099.00
Scholars' Supplies, Elementary	3,094.79	2,576.00	2,276.00	2,199.00
Salaries of Clerical Assistants		1,000.00	1,000.00	2,800.00
Supplies & Other Expenses, High	232.42	320.25	270.00	494.00
Supplies & Other Expenses, Elementary	720.58	784.00	480.00	913.75
Operation of School Plant				
Salaries of Janitors, High	3,395.76	4,525.00	4,495.00	4,336.00
Salaries of Janitors, Elementary	5,637.97	4,180.00	4,180.00	4,144.00
Fuel or Heat, High	1,569.09	1,970.00	1,970.00	1,970.00
Fuel or Heat, Elementary	3,030.02	3,230.00	3,230.00	3,580.00
Water, Light, Supplies & Expenses, High	1,253.64	1,900.00	1,900.00	2,260.00
Water, Lights, Supplies & Expenses, Elementary	2,199.25	2,175.00	2,175.00	2,045.00

	Actual Expenditures 1959-60	Adopted Budget 1960-61	Proposed Expenditures 1960-61	Proposed Budget 1961-62
Maintenance of School Plant				
Repairs and Replacements, High	3,466.74	2,189.50	2,700.00	2,267.00
Repairs and Replacements, Elementary	1,210.31	1,558.00	1,900.00	1,932.00
Auxiliary Activities				
Health Supervision, High	540.00	725.00	725.00	783.00
Health Supervision, Elementary	1,617.00	1,450.00	1,450.00	1,564.00
Transportation, High	3,134.86	4,100.00	4,100.00	4,678.00
Transportation, Elementary	7,932.86	8,200.00	8,200.00	9,256.00
Tuition, Elementary	480.00	520.00	145.00	710.00
Special Activities & Special Funds, High	190.99	515.00	450.00	695.00
Special Activities & Special Funds, Elementary	123.00	485.00	285.00	155.00
School Lunch Program	2,493.91			
Fixed Charges				
Teachers' Retirement, High	2,658.96	2,961.12	2,960.00	3,339.50
Teachers' Retirement, Elementary	5,208.92	5,922.24	5,922.00	6,049.56
Insurance, Treas. Bonds & Expenses, High	2,000.00	1,638.00	1,638.00	997.70
Insurance, Treas. Bonds & Expenses, Elementary	1,709.53	777.00	777.00	1,412.30
Capital Outlay				
Additions and Improvements, High	100.00	590.00	700.00	475.00
Additions and Improvements, Elementary	411.31	3,500.00	6,400.00	2,885.00
New Equipment, High	1,000.00	2,979.50	2,000.00	3,028.00
New Equipment, Elementary	694.43	645.00	500.00	590.00

Debt and Interest				
Principal of Debt	12,000.00	11,000.00	11,000.00	11,000.00
Interest on Debt	2,310.00	2,068.50	2,068.50	1,837.00
Total 1959-60 Expenditures	$197,946.13			
Total 1960-61 School Appropriation		$209,954..61		
Estimated Total 1960-61 Expenditures			$211,181.50	
Total 1961-62 School Appropriation				$222,608.81
Balance (Actual or Estimated)	2,294.16			
	$200,240.29	$209,954.61	$211,181.50	$222.608.81

	Actual Receipts 1959-60	Adopted Budget 1960-61	Estimated Receipts 1960-61	Proposed Budget 1961-62
Receipts				
Balance (Actual or Estimated)	$ 1,877.17	$ 2,294.16	$ 2,294.16	
Federal Aid	2,541.87			
State Foundation Aid	47,301.09	46,169.39	46,169.39	$ 46,169.39
State Building Aid	4,052.03	3,376.83	3,497.62	3,497.62
Tuition	681.00	388.00	840.94	494.94
Trust Funds	28.06		28.88	
Other	548.72	814.00	814.00	1,550.00
Total Receipts Other Than Taxes	$ 57,029.94	$ 53,042.38	$ 53,644.99	$ 51,711.95
District Assessment	153,210.35	156,912.23	156,309.62	170,896.86
District Assessment (Est. 1960-61 Deficit)			1,226.89	
Total 1959-60 Receipts	$200,240.29			
Total 1960-61 Appropriation		$209,954.61		
Estimated 1960-61 Receipts			$211,181.50	
Total 1961-62 Appropriation				$222,608.81

ITEMIZED REPORT OF EXPENDITURES

July 1, 1959 to June 30, 1960

Administration		
Salaries of District Officers		$ 765.00
Superintendent's Salary (local share)		1,250.00
Acworth	$ 175.00	
Charlestown	1,250.00	
Cornish	500.00	
Goshen-Lempster	250.00	
Langdon	125.00	
Unity	200.00	
	$ 2,500.00	
State's share	4,500.00	
	$ 7,000.00	
Tax for State Wide Supervision		1,328.00
Salaries of Other Admin. Personnel		1,675.00
Supplies and Expenses of Administration:		
Comstock the Printer	344.00	
Vermont Newspaper Corporation	20.30	
Connecticut River National Bank	4.40	
Supervisory Union No. 5	1,622.50	
National School Methods	17.02	
N. H. School Board Association	25.00	
Gertrude Cahalane	67.60	
N. H. Music Educators Association	10.00	
Loraine Child	10.00	
Edna Farrell	10.00	
Town of Charlestown	30.28	
New England Tel. & Tel. Company	116.64	
A. H. Rice Company, Inc.	18.03	
Noyes Stickney	1.93	
Daily Eagle	50.91	
		2,348.71
Instruction		
Teachers' Salaries		116,895.17

Books and Other Instructional Aids:

Allyn and Bacon	$ 185.94	
American Book Company	128.38	
American Technical Society	.89	
Beckley-Cardy Company	15.04	
Doubleday and Company	8.00	
Follett Publishing Company	40.50	
Ginn and Company	500.22	
Goodheart-Willcox Company	3.64	
Harcourt, Brace & Company	190.58	
Houghton Mifflin Company	98.63	
International Printers & Publishers	3.43	
Lyons and Carnahan	99.62	
The Macmillan Company	95.32	
McKnight and McKnight	8.79	
Prentice-Hall, Inc.	3.49	
Row, Peterson and Company	76.46	
Scott, Foresman and Company	477.21	
L. W. Singer Company, Inc.	124.26	
Wilcox and Follett	6.95	
McGraw-Hill Book Company	2.65	
Bush Music Center	32.88	
Harper and Brothers	29.64	
Silsby Public Library	26.46	
		$ 2,158.98

Scholars' Supplies:

American Book Company	$ 74.91	
Benton Review Publishing Company	17.24	
Craftplans, Inc.	10.50	
Denoyer-Geppert Company	5.04	
Follett Publishing Company	53.42	
Ginn and Company	204.33	
J. L. Hammett Company	612.29	
McGraw-Hill Company	79.01	
G. L. Merrian Company	74.69	
Milton-Bradley Company	677.27	
Scott-Foresman and Company	828.26	
South-Western Publishing Company	78.28	
Warp Publishing Company	27.13	
Webster Publishing Company	29.89	
Winde-McCormick Company	158.00	

John C. Winston Company	11.35	
World Book Company	15.23	
Elizabeth Bascom	14.30	
Supervisory Union No. 5	5.33	
Atkinson-Davis Corporation	124.75	
Knowlton and Stone, Inc.	292.02	
Jameson's Market	159.51	
Reed's General Store	41.57	
Gledhill Brothers, Inc.	3.25	
Jack Weiner's Hardware	8.35	
Brodhead Garrett Company	17.09	
Cambosco Scientific Company	176.78	
Bush Music Center	91.10	
Kimball's, Inc.	90.46	
Claremont Army and Navy Store	16.65	
Stansi Scientific Company	42.29	
Carl Fischer, Inc.	50.52	
New Hampshire State Treasurer	20.88	
Baker Science Packets	4.36	
Garrand Press	1.28	
Borofsky & Sons, Inc.	20.02	
Lyons and Carnahan	4.80	
Hayes Music Store	4.48	
N. H. Distributing Agency	28.45	
Boston Music Center	13.05	
Economy Company	126.34	
		$ 4,321.47
Supplies & Other Expenses:		
New England Tel. & Tel. Company	304.50	
Putnam's Greenhouses	5.00	
Stevens' Greenhouses	45.00	
Time Magazine	7.00	
Educators Progress Service	7.00	
Olive Bashaw	5.00	
Stuart Carter	5.00	
Ralph Staples	10.00	
Industrial Arts & Vocational Ed.	3.75	
Silsby Public Library	43.26	
The Macmillan Company	10.74	
Science Research Associates	346.47	
Ralph Staples	5.93	
Oxford Book Company	5.54	

Wheeler Publishing Company	1.65	
Woodbury the Florist	3.50	
Hayes Music Store	20.51	
Home Craftsman	1.75	
Supervisory Union No. 5	91.92	
University of New Hampshire	3.70	
National Geographic Society	6.75	
Grolier Society, Inc.	81.50	
M. N. Perkins Company	116.86	
Monetta Baldwin	10.35	
		$ 1,142,68
Operation of School Plant		
Salaries of Janitors		9,068.73
Fuel or Heat:		
Connelly Fuels, Inc.	1,441.24	
Cray Oil Co.	589.75	
C. H. Sprague & Son	2,559.62	
Utilgas Corporation	8.50	
		$ 4,599.11
Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses:		
Central Paper Products	$ 410.31	
Granite State Electric Company	2,239.23	
Jameson's Market	36.88	
J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Company	155.94	
Montgomery Ward Company	5.64	
Mt. Kilburn Paper Company	3.90	
Orin's Shell Station	6.15	
Richco Products	107.21	
Rick's Electrical Shop	1.81	
Rochester Germicide Company	15.20	
Claremont Steam Laundry	7.12	
Hospital Specialty Company	24.88	
Reed's General Store	5.47	
George Sawyer	2.20	
Noyes Stickney	3.06	
Connecticut Valley Electric Co.	149.35	
Wirthmore Stores	9.00	
William Highter	46.50	
Kimball's, Inc.	1.54	
Fletcher for Pianos	9.00	
J. B. Tashro	3.00	

George Moulton	157.50	
Donald Spaulding	24.00	
Supervisory Union No. 5	12.00	
Raymond Wilder, Sr.	18.50	
		$ 3,455.39

Maintenance of School Plant

Repairs and Replacements:

Robert Ingalls	$ 86.00	
George Sawyer	147.00	
Royce Andrus	112.48	
Barrett & Neal Company	60.00	
Beckley-Cardy Company	29.41	
Bourdon's Mfg. Company	5.30	
Jameson's Market	57.92	
C. L. Haskell	118.00	
Howard Hardware Company	4.00	
Masury-Young Company	492.13	
G. L. Merriman Company	53.28	
Milton-Bradley Company	48.90	
A. H. Rice Company	431.09	
Royal McBee Corporation	150.00	
Sears, Roebuck and Company	10.26	
Snow and Lear Company	155.00	
A. H. & R. H. Streeter	288.88	
H. E. Streeter	249.40	
Supervisory Union No. 5	556.40	
Town of Charlestown	14.08	
Wirthmore Stores	195.33	
Bush Music Center	88.71	
Larry Cobb	2.25	
Mrs. A. F. Harding	50.00	
International Business Machines, Inc.	318.45	
George Moulton	2.40	
N. H. Distributing Agency	13.75	
Office Supply Center	300.00	
Rick's Electrical Shop	217.83	
E. R. Wiggins Company	44.95	
Adin M. Houghton	15.00	
Red's Esso Service	1.00	
Charlestown American Aluminum Co.	2.74	
General Playground Equipment Co.	31.80	

Knowlton & Stone Company	109.54	
Kimball's, Inc.	49.05	
Alson Blaney	12.00	
Cambosco Scientific Company	25.00	
Sears, Roebuck & Company	23.00	
Musical Instrument Repair Company	5.50	
Unity School District	1.40	
American Plate Glass Company	7.00	
Whitehill Hardware Company	4.32	
Graybar Electric Company	24.76	
Richco Products, Inc.	1.50	
Arnold Cuthbert	6.00	
Singer Sewing Machine Company	3.88	
Zabek Fire Apparatus Company	28.00	
Howe Motors, Inc.	42.36	
		$ 4,697.05
Auxiliary Activities		
Health Supervision		2,157.00
Transportation:		
Claremont Publishing Company	$ 12.00	
Bus Drivers	3,847.14	
Superior Petroleum Products	1,089.58	
Director of Internal Revenue	328.00	
School Bus Rental Service	7,427.80	
Paul C. Willard	28.00	
N. H. - Vt. Hospitalization Service	156.50	
Howe Motors, Inc.	2.40	
Charlestown Garage	30.00	
Orin's Shell Station	5.65	
		$ 12,927.07
Tuition		$ 480.00
Special Activities & Special Funds:		
Lunch Program	$ 2,493.91	
Supervisory Union No. 5	20.00	
Charlestown Athletic Association	20.00	
Charlestown High School	87.18	
Thelma Hause	12.18	
Olive Bashaw	12.00	
Comstock the Printer	18.00	
Bruce Wood	13.00	

Donald Pruden	26.63	
Mrs. Donald Woods	25.00	
Dr. J. Duane Squires	30.00	
Leona Fisk	50.00	
		$ 2,807.90
Fixed Charges		
Retirement & Social Security		7,867.88
Insurance, Treas. Bonds & Expenses		3,735.46
Capital Outlay		
Additions & Improvements to Buildings:		
Supervisory Union No. 5	$ 166.50	
Willoughby's Garage	63.45	
Cold River Sand & Gravel Corp.	128.00	
Town of Charlestown	34.40	
N. H. Fence Company	118.96	
		$ 511.31
New Equipment:		
Denoyer-Geppert Company	$ 97.50	
Milton Bradley Company	22.50	
Rick's Electrical Shop	12.55	
Underwood Corporation	205.25	
Holmes System Clearing Co.	13.57	
Outdoor Oven Fireplace Company	365.00	
Barrett & Neal	50.00	
Kimball's, Inc.	55.00	
Lyons Band Instrument Company	27.69	
Adin M. Houghton	162.50	
E. H. Sheldon Equipment Co.	266.00	
Chase's, Inc.	16.87	
N. H. Distributing Agency	100.00	
Cambosco Scientific Company	300.00	
		$ 1,694.43
Debt and Interest		
Principal on Debt		12,000.00
Interest on Debt		2,310.00
		$200,196.34
Balance on hand, June 30, 1960		2,294.16
Grand Total		$202,490.50

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the Treasurer of the School District of Charlestown of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1960 and find them correct in all respects.

MARGARET SPAULDING
LOUIS L. COMSTOCK
Auditors

PUPIL ENROLLMENT
1960-1961

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Totals
Stucco	49												49
Holden		45	47	46	43	45							226
High							58	53	49	39	39	35	273
Farwell	9	9	8	8	10	10							54
Totals	58	54	55	54	53	55	58	53	49	39	39	35	602

REPORT OF THE STUDENT AID FUND

The total number of loans granted since the start of the Student Aid Fund in January 1957, has been eight.

This year we are pleased to have received gifts from the following organizations and people; Charlestown Rotary Club, Margaret Wallace Arnold, and the proceeds from a Charlestown High School Basket-ball game.

The balance on hand as of January 1, 1961 is $572.58.

It is hoped that organizations and individuals will continue their interest in this important project. Only through the interest of the community will this fund continue to grow and give assistance to deserving young people.

RALPH L. STAPLES, Chairman
GLADYS GALBRAITH
MONTFORD SAYCE
ROLFE JACOBS
NOYES STICKNEY

MINUTES OF THE CHARLESTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING

March 12, 1960

Meeting called to order at 2:00 o'clock.

Warrant read by Clerk Beatrice Olden.

Art. 1. To choose a Moderator.

I. Mandinack: I nominate Rev. Bruce Wyman.
L. Child: I nominate Martha Frizzell.
W. Jones: I move nominations cease.
Motion carried.
Following Tellers named by Clerk:
Mrs. Max Lange
John Osgood
Donald Galbraith
Number of votes cast — 295
Void — 4
Frizzell — 158
Wyman — 133
Martha Frizzell elected. Sworn in by Fred Perry.

Art. 2. To choose a Clerk.

Arline Warren has filed.
J. Ahern: I nominate Beatrice Olden — Withdrew.
E. Morrill: I move the nominations cease and the Moderator cast one ballot for Arline Warren. Declared elected. Sworn in by Fred Perry.

Art. 3. To choose two members of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

Vera Willard, Miriam Gates and Cecil Fisk have filed.
First ballot — 337 votes cast. Needed for election — 169.
Willard — 151
Fisk — 118
Gates — 68
Second ballot — 334 votes cast. Needed for election — 167.
Willard — 201
Fisk — 32
Gates — 101

Vera Willard declared elected. Sworn in at the bank by Fred Perry on March 14, 1960.
Ballot for second member.
339 votes cast. Needed for election — 170.
Fisk — 192
Gates — 147
Cecil Fisk declared elected.

Art. 4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
Beatrice Olden has filed.
J. Ahern: I move nominations cease and the Moderator cast one ballot for Beatrice Olden.
Motion carried.
Beatrice Olden declared elected.

Art. 5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.
H. Bascom: I move that the School District approve the amount of $765.00 to be raised in the budget for the salaries of the district officers.
Second D. Olden.
Motion carried.

Art. 6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
D. Olden: I move that the reports as printed in the Annual Report be accepted.
Second F. Buckland.
Motion carried.

Art. 7. To choose Auditors for the ensuing year.
J. Ahern: I nominate the same two as we had last year. Frank Little and Elizabeth Bascom. Both withdrew.
F. Frohock: I move that the town auditors serve as school auditors.
Mr. Farrell withdrew.
E. Morrill: I nominate Robert Spaulding — Withdrew.
D. Olden: I nominate the remaining two town auditors — Louis Comstock and Margaret Spaulding.
Dr. Willard: I nominate Donald Galbraith as a third member.

Mr. Farrell: I move nominations be closed.

J. Babbitt: I move the Moderator cast one ballot for the three auditors: Louis Comstock, Margaret Spaulding and Donald Galbraith. Motion carried. Declared elected.

Art. 8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district and to authorize the application against said appropriations of such sums of money as are estimated to be received from state equalization and building funds, together with other income; the School Board to certify to the Selectmen the balance between estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

M. Gates: I move that the School District raise and appropriate the sum of $210,454.61 for the support of schools for salaries of the district officers and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against such appropriation of such sums of money as are estimated to be received from state equalization and building funds, together with other income; the School Board to certify to the Selectmen the balance between estimated revenue and the appropriations, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

Discussion of budget by D. Olden.

T. Frizzell: I move that Art. 8 be amended by deducting $4,000 and eliminating the extra teacher. Seconded by Frank Little.

D. Galbraith: I move that Art. 8 be amended by deducting $5,000 instead of $4,000.

Seconded by Arthur Moore.

Vote taken on motion made by D. Galbraith. Amendment lost.

Vote taken on motion made by T. Frizzell. Favorable.

Vote on original motion, amended by deducting $4,000, carried. New figure — $206,454.61.

Art. 9. To see if the district will authorize the School Board to appropriate receipts from federal lunch reimbursements, tuitions, gifts and any other receipts from miscellaneous sources, in addition to the original appropriation for 1960-61, for the lunch program, general expenses, equipment and improvements.

> E. French: I move that the district authorize the School Board to appropriate receipts from federal lunch reimbursements, tuition, gifts and any other receipts from miscellaneous sources, in addition to the original appropriation for 1960-61, for the lunch program, general expenses, equipment and improvements.
> Seconded by M. Gates.
> Motion carried.

Art. 10. To see if the district will authorize the School Board to make application for and to receive, in the name of the district, such advances, grants-in-aid or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the U. S. Government and/or State Agencies.

> F. Buckland: I move that the district authorize the School Board to make application for and to receive, in the name of the district such advances, grants-in-aid or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the U. S. Government and/or State Agencies.
> Seconded by H. Bascom.
> Motion carried.

Art. 11. To see if the district will vote to construct and equip a new Elementary School; and to see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for constructing and equipping a new school; and whether the district will vote to authorize the issue of serial notes or bonds upon the credit of the district for all or any portion of the sum so raised and appropriated, in accordance with the Municipal Finance Act, Chapter 33, and any amendments relating thereto.

> V. Willard: I move that the district raise and appropriate for constructing and equipping a new Elementary School the sum of $260,000.00, and to

authorize the issue of serial notes or bonds upon the credit of the district for all or any portion of the sum so raised and appropriated, in accordance with the Municipal Finance Act, Chapter 33, and any amendments relating thereto.

Seconded by Dr. Brown.

There was considerable discussion on this Article. Several townspeople spoke, then the School Board was asked to give their views. Mr. Stickney also expressed his views.

There then followed more discussion.

Finally, Mr. F. Perry moved that the Article be voted on.

Seconded by K. Laramie.

Motion carried.

The Moderator appointed three more Tellers:

Barbara Piletz, Robert Burns and William Miller.

L. Child and E. Farrell to use check list.

Number of votes cast — 312. Necessary to carry motion — 208.

Yes — 155 No — 157 Motion lost.

Art. 12. To see if the district will vote to choose a Building Committee.

J. Ahern: I move the article be dismissed.

Seconded by E. Morrill.

Motion carried.

Art. 13. To see if the district will raise and appropriate the sum of thirty-five hundred dollars ($3500) for the purpose of installing flourescent lights, and modern toilet fixtures in the Holden School.

F. Perry: I move the article be adopted.

Seconded by F. Buckland.

Motion carried.

Art. 14. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

L. Child: I move the meeting be adjourned.

Seconded by E. Farrell.

Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 6:20 p. m.

A true record,

ARLINE WARREN, Clerk

1961

SCHOOL WARRANT

State of New Hampshire

Note: Polls open 10:00 A. M. to 6:00 P. M.

To the inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Charlestown qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Charlestown High School Auditorium in said district on the eighteenth day of March, 1961, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to act on the articles here listed:

1. To choose a Moderator for the meeting.

2. To choose a Clerk for the meeting.

3. To determine and approve the salaries of the School Board and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.

4. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

5. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of the district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district and to authorize the application against said appropriations of such sums of money as are estimated to be received from state equalization and building funds, together with other income; the School Board to certify to the Selectmen the balance between estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

6. To see if the district will authorize the School Board to appropriate receipts from federal lunch reimbursements, tuition, gifts and any other receipts from miscellaneous sources, in addition to the original appropriation for 1961-62, for the lunch program, general expenses, equipment and improvements.

7. To see if the district will authorize the School Board to make application for and to receive, in the name of the district, such advances, grants-in-aid or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the U. S. Government and/or State Agencies.

8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for constructing and equipping a new elementary school; and whether the district will vote to authorize the issue of serial notes or bonds upon the credit of the district for all or any portion of the sum so raised and appropriated, in accordance with the Municipal Finance Act, Chapter 33, and any amendments relating thereto.

9. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of six thousond dollars ($6,000.00) for the purpose of installing a language laboratory at the Charlestown High School.

10. To see if the Charlestown School District will authorize the supervisors of the town checklist to make, post and correct the checklists for the School District, acting as supervisors of the checklists; and to see if the school district will vote to adopt as the checklist for school meetings the checklist of the town, as provided in Section 197:12-a of the Revised Statutes Annotated.

11. To see if the school district will vote to adopt a plan for extending to employees of the school district the benefits of Title II of the Federal Social Security Act (Old Age and Survivors Insurance) as authorized by Chapter 101 of the Revised Statutes Annotated Amended by Chapter 301 and 332 of the Laws of 1955, and to raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred and eight dollars ($308.00) to defray the school district's share of the cost thereof.

12. To see if the school district wishes to exclude from the plan services in any class or classes of positions filled by popular election.

13. To see if the school district wishes to exclude from the plan services in any class or classes of positions the compensation for which is on a fee basis.

14. If a plan for Social Security coverage is adopted, to see if the school district will authorize the School Board to execute on behalf of the school district the necessary agreements with the State of New Hampshire to carry into effect the plan to see if the school district will designate the Chairman of the School Board as the officer to be responsible for the administration of the plan.

15. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Charlestown this third day of March, 1961.

HORACE BASCOM, Chairman
DANA OLDEN
JAMES AUSTIN
FOREST BUCKLAND
VERA WILLARD
CECIL FISK
School Board

BIRTHS, 1960

Date	Place of Birth	Name of Child	No.	Name of Father	Name of Mother
Jan. 7	Bellows Falls ,Vt.	Linda Jean Washburne	3	Ivan Washburne	Janet Alice Davis
Feb. 3	Springfield, Vt.	Michael James Kinson	2	James Holton Kinson	Judith Ann Cuthbert
3	Springfield, Vt.	Mary Ruth Kinson	3	James Holton Kinson	Judith Ann Cuthbert
15	Claremont, N. H.	Kim Terry Benware	5	Haskell Jay Benware	Sarah Catherine Osgood
Mar. 7	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Kevin David Allen	3	Lester Melvin Allen	Alexandrine Riosa Lemieux
18	Springfield, Vt.	William James Allen	2	James Edgar Allen, Jr.	Mary Frances Potter
18	Springfield, Vt.	Terri Lee Schlieman	1	Robert Francis Schlieman	Teresa Mae Olney
22	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Tami Jean Wilcox	2	Harry Frank Wilcox	Lois Mabel Billado
30	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Steven Harold Stoddard	2	Ralph Edward Stoddard	Carolyn Mary McClary
Apr. 4	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Alan Leo McLain	5	William Albert McLain	Theo Mortenson
11	Springfield, Vt.	Janet Lea LaBerge	8	Donald Leonard LaBerge	Rena Marie Still
19	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Michael Francis Mayette	1	Duane Francis Mayette	Juanita May Halladay
28	Springfield, Vt.	Andrea Bourque Wyman	3	Bruce Tappan Wyman	Dorothy Elizabeth Bourque
May 4	Springfield, Vt.	Beth Ann Bascom	2	Orin Edward Bascom	Elizabeth Rosamond Annis
18	Springfield, Vt.	Carol Lynn Rice	4	Neil Eugene Rice, Sr.	Marilyn Ruth Kinson
20	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Tammy May Webber	1		Lynnette Ann Webber
June 7	Springfield, Vt.	Ray Andrew Kennett	1	Terry Burt Kennett	Joan Ann McKenven
11	Springfield, Vt.	Susan Marie Blake	2	Jerome Gerald Blake	Gaylie May Stoughton
18	Bellows Falls, Vt.	LeAnn Richelle Goodell	7	Alfred Charles Goodell	Mary Elizabeth Lake
26	Springfield, Vt.	Mary Lee Ward	5	Harold Harding Ward, Jr.	Virginia Blanche Morse
July 3	Springfield, Vt.	Cheryl Ann Ames	5	Harold Quincy Ames	DonaJean Eudora Wood
4	Springfield, Vt.	Richard John Bushway	1	William Ray Bushway	Patricia Marilyn Clifford
13	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Daniel Ross Stevens	3	Robert Fred Stevens	Judith Dianne Schiff

Date	Place of Birth	Name of Child	No.	Name of Father	Name of Mother
24	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Pamela Arlene Rice	3	Edwin A. Rice, Jr.	Beryl Arlene Sanderson
26	Claremont, N. H.	David Normand Nadeau	2	Marcel Joseph A. Nadeau	Gisele Marie R. Corriveau
Aug. 17	Springfield, Vt.	Dana Alan Joslin	1	Robert Alan Joslin	Dianne Elaine Olden
22	Springfield, Vt.	Pauline Mary Weaver	4	Kenneth Loren Weaver	Evelyn Maude Schofield
23	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Valinda Marie Bacon	3	Romaine Fred Bacon	Margaret Wright
31	Springfield, Vt.	Marshall Malcolm Bennett, Jr.	1	Marshall Malcolm Bennett, Sr.	Carolyn Ann Blake
Sept. 16	Springfield, Vt.	David John Gjeltema	4	Harold Gjeltema	Barbara Ann Carpenter
19	Springfield, Vt.	Thomas James Bascom, Jr.	1	Thomas James Bascom, Sr.	Lauria Ann Poisson
21	Springfield, Vt.	Michael Lewis Adams	3	Gordon Edgar Adams	Elaine Wilda Lewis
27	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Mark Alan Nash	2	Sandy Nash	Marguerite Irene Billado
Oct. 4	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Candace Jean Burns	3	Robert William Burns	Jean Ann Brennan
8	Springfield, Vt.	Timothy Edward Nichols	3	Herbert Winfield Nichols	Ruth Ann Scanlon
13	Springfield, Vt.	Sharon Lee Clifford	3	Daniel Willard Clifford	Regina Emma Morgan
19	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Carl Leonard Bemis	2	Maynard Nial Bemis	Margaret Jean Amy Holt
20	Springfield, Vt.	Jacqueline Marie Bailey	3	Russell Malcolm Bailey	Mary Ann Crowley
22	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Maria Lynn Bates	2	Arthur Wayne Bates	Jean Caroline Stryhas
Nov. 10	Claremont, N. H.	Mark Bradford Kennett	10	Leslie Bradford Kennett	Yvette Mary Trombley
18	Springfield, Vt.	Todd Wesley Partridge	3	Ronald Anthony Partridge	Janet Thelma Davis
18	Springfield, Vt.	Neil Glenn Lord, Jr.	1	Neil Glenn Lord	Ruth Ellen Barnes
20	Springfield, Vt.	Lynda Ruth Kinson	3	Ernest Richard Kinson	Ruth Irma Bradish
20	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Tessie Mae Barnett	4		Alta Mary Barnett
Dec. 10	Springfield, Vt.	Darla Sue Scott	2	Ernest Alfred Scott	Dawn Marie Royce
31	Bellows Falls, Vt.	Amy Irene Wilson	5	Daniel William Wilson	Ruth Irene Wheeler

MARRIAGES, 1960

Date	Name of Groom and Bride	Place of Marriage	Age	Residence of Each
Jan. 2	Robert Alan Joslin	Charlestown, N. H.	20	Charlestown, N. H.
	Dianne Elaine Olden		18	Charlestown, N. H.
Feb. 5	Lawrence Douglas Smith	Charlestown, N. H.	27	Charlestown, N. H.
	Elizabeth Nancy Frechette		25	Alstead, N. H.
14	Asa Davis Cutting	Charlestown, N. H.	37	Claremont, N. H.
	Leona Grace Benware		21	Charlestown, N. H.
20	Chester John Augustinowitz	Charlestown, N. H.	35	Bellows Falls, Vt.
	Lilian Antoinette Clayton		40	Bellows Falls, Vt.
27	Thomas James Bascom	Charlestown, N. H.	21	Charlestown, N. H.
	Lauria Ann Poisson		17	Charlestown, N. H.
Mar. 19	James Handrican Thornhill	No. Charlestown, N. H.	64	Hyannis, Mass.
	Martha Arline Haynes		33	Knox, Maine
Apr. 9	Arthur John Murray	Charlestown, N. H.	44	Glens Falls, N. Y.
	Viola Dolores Dowmont		44	Hudson Falls, N. Y.
11	Arthur Edwin Davis	Laconia, N. H.	68	Charlestown, N. H.
	Jennie Olive Benson		66	Laconia, N. H.
16	John Frederick Tenney	Charlestown, N. H.	21	Bellows Falls, Vt.
	Gloria Jean Colburn		18	Charlestown, N. H.
May 8	John Alfred McNulty	Charlestown, N. H.	45	Ayer, Mass.
	Eleanor Anita Hirschi		34	Ayer, Mass.
21	Larry Donovan Merrill	Bellows Falls, Vt.	24	Charlestown, N. H.
	Barbara Lee Tenney		21	Bellows Falls, Vt.

Date	Name of Groom and Bride	Place of Marriage	Age	Residence of Each
28	Oley John Footland	Charlestown, N. H.	74	Charlestown, N. H.
	Edith Grace Hayes		56	Charlestown, N. H.
June 18	John Leon Benjamin	Charlestown, N. H.	22	Charlestown, N. H.
	Arlene Marie Fair		18	Bellows Falls, Vt.
July 9	Andrew Arthur Austin	No. Charlestown, N. H.	20	Reading, Vt.
	Harriet Jessie DeCelle		18	No. Charlestown, N. H.
23	Robert James Stiles	Acworth, N. H.	38	Concord, N. H.
	Eva Geraldine Fisk		44	Charlestown, N. H.
24	George Albert Nash	Charlestown, N. H.	20	Charlestown, N. H.
	Clara Alberta Morey		17	Sunapee, N. H.
30	Thomas Charles Chase	Claremont, N. H.	22	Charlestown, N. H.
	Jane Frances Richard		18	Claremont, N. H.
Aug. 13	Carl Forrest Parker	Harrisville, N. H.	24	Harrisville, N. H.
	Norma Ellen Eastman		19	Charlestown, N. H.
15	Oliver R. Leonard	Charlestown, N. H.	17	Charlestown, N. H.
	Darlene Marie Holden		14	Charlestown, N. H.
20	Wilfred E. LaDuke, Jr.	Charlestown, N. H.	20	Charlestown, N. H.
	Lynnette Ann Webber		15	Charlestown, N. H.
20	Richard S. Stevens	Windsor, Vt.	30	Brentwood, N. H.
	Betty A. Field		27	Charlestown, N. H.
Sept. 2	Larry Bowen Hill	Charlestown, N. H.	21	Charlestown, N. H.
	Faye Lora Smith		18	Charlestown, N. H.

Date	Name of Groom and Bride	Place of Marriage	Age	Residence of Each
3	Stanley Kenneth Horton	Charlestown, N. H.	24	Charlestown, N. H.
	Shirley Kay Sylvester		23	Charlestown, N. H.
5	Theodore Kent Sylvester	Putney, Vt.	31	Charlestown, N. H.
	Cynthia Grace Harlow		22	Bellows Falls, Vt.
11	Sydney Leonard Strong	Langdon, N. H.	21	Charlestown, N. H.
	Rae Adele Scudder		17	Charlestown, N. H.
17	Robert Andrew Campbell	Charlestown, N. H.	21	Charlestown, N. H.
	Marie Marguerite Noreen Baraly		16	Charlestown, N. H.
17	William Albert Messler	Charlestown, N. H.	19	Charlestown, N. H.
	Nancy Virginia Weston		18	Charlestown, N. H.
23	Albert Forrest Fowler	Charlestown, N. H.	20	Bellows Falls, Vt.
	Marie Anne Gladue		18	Bellows Falls, Vt.
23	Carl Robert Mack	Charlestown, N. H.	18	Charlestown, N. H.
	Nancy Jane Colburn		17	Charlestown, N. H.
24	Alexander Anthony Konesko	Charlestown, N. H.	20	So. Charlestown, N. H.
	Judith Elaine Cray		19	No. Walpole, N. H.
Oct. 1	Francis Leslie Hilliard	Bellows Falls, Vt.	35	Charlestown, N. H.
	Doris Anna Grout		32	Bellows Falls, Vt.
10	William Gilbert Salo	Charlestown, N. H.	51	Charlestown, N. H.
	Virginia May Baker Salo		25	Charlestown, N. H.
15	Donald Colby Hoskinson	No. Charlestown, N. H.	20	Charlestown, N. H.
	Wilda Lyn Adams		19	Charlestown, N. H.

	24	Lawrence Bradley Fairbrother	Charlestown, N. H.	50	Bellows Falls, Vt.
		Loye Inas Fairbrother		43	Bellows Falls, Vt.
Nov.	6	Stuart Albert Carter	Charlestown, N. H.	47	Charlestown, N. H.
		Irene Davis		43	Charlestown, N. H.
	6	Max Everett Emery, Jr.	Perkinsville, Vt.	21	Weathersfield, Vt.
		Joyce Maude King		23	Charlestown, N. H.
	26	Gilles Antonio Lemieux	Charlestown, N. H.	21	Claremont, N. H.
		Joanne Louise Dubois		18	Charlestown, N. H.
Dec.	3	Loomis Drake Waldron	Charlestown, N. H.	25	Torrington, Conn.
		Sarah Adelaide Streeter		22	Charlestown, N. H.
	10	Ralph Edward Oxton	Charlestown, N. H.	43	Augusta, Maine
		Rose Marie Phelps		19	Charlestown, N. H.
	19	Joseph Hayes Stagner, Jr.	Charlestown, N. H.	19	Charlestown, N. H.
		Sandra Lee Morse		20	Charlestown, N. H.
	24	Kenneth Malcolm Roberts	Charlestown, N. H.	32	Weymouth, Mass.
		Christine Brown		19	Charlestown, N. H.
	24	Clinton R. Howard		22	Charlestown, N. H.
		Sylvia Newton	Brattleboro, Vt.	21	Houlton, Maine
	31	Ronald Fredrick Nelson		20	Oshkosh, Wis.
		Margaret Mary Laliberte		21	No. Charlestown, N. H.

DEATHS, 1960

Date	Name of Deceased	Place of Death	Age	Birthplace
Jan. 4	Frederic L. Putnam	Springfield, Vt.	91	Malden, Mass.
21	Elizabeth Chapman Andrus	Charlestown, N. H.	43	Northfield, Mass.
Feb. 4	Michael James Kinson	Springfield, Vt.	(hrs.) 11	Springfield, Vt.
4	Mary Ruth Kinson	Springfield, Vt.	(hrs.) 11	Springfield, Vt.
12	Willis Arthur Clark	Unity, N. H.	75	Chester, Vt.
19	Josephine Quimby	Claremont, N. H.	90	Charlestown, N. H.
May 10	Stella Mae Carter	Charlestown, N. H.	46	Berlin, N. H.
June 27	Hessler Theodore Gates	Charlestown, N. H.	75	Fulton, N. Y.
July 4	Della M. Hutchins	Unity, N. H.	90	Charlestown, N. H.
6	Maude Anna Reed	Springfield, Vt.	71	Shrewsbury, Mass.
12	Bertha Horton	Bellows Falls, Vt.	47	
Aug. 2	Raymond Edelpho Sage	Charlestown, N. H.	53	Medford, Mass.
3	Perley J. Perkins	Concord, N. H.	66	Belmont, Vt.
4	George Blodgett	Unity, N. H.	71	Charlestown, N. H.
17	Abial S. Fisher	Claremont, N. H.	90	Danville, Vt.
Sept. 22	Jerome Potter Brown	Springfield Vt.	39	Albany, N. Y.
23	George Gordon Freeman	Charlestown, N. H.	70	Plattsburg, N. Y.
Oct. 5	Ethel W. Woodbury	Charlestown, N. H.	89	East Boston, Mass.
8	David Victor Cahalane	Charlestown, N. H.	90	Westmoreland, N. H.
21	Laura T. Hanken	Charlestown N. H.	74	Wolf Hollow, N. Y.
23	Umberto Magni	Hanover, N. H.	73	Brianca, Italy
27	Frances Kathleen Carr	So. Charlestown, N. H.	50	Sheffield, Vt.
28	George M. Weeks	Charlestown, N. H.	79	Canaan, Vt.
Nov. 27	Carl Leonard Bemis	Bellows Falls, Vt.	(dys.) 40	Bellows Falls, Vt.
Dec. 6	Rex Edmund Smith	Bellows Falls, Vt.	58	Athens, Vt.
14	Nellie Batchelder Robitille	Concord, N. H.	89	North Troy, Vt.
29	John Joseph Bashaw	Charlestown, N. H.	79	Charlestown, N. H.

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